

PAY AT ONCE.
If this is marked with a blue
pencil it shows that your sub-
scription is due (or will be
at the end of this month)
and must be paid at once or
your Avalanche will be stopped.

Crawford

Avalanche

JUSTICE AND RIGHT

VOLUME XLIII

GRAYLING, MICHIGAN, JUNE 9, 1921

OSCAR P. SCHUMANN, Editor and Proprietor

NUMBER 23

WAS FINE MISSIONARY CONVENTION

ABOUT 60 DELEGATES PRESENT. OFFICERS RE-ELECTED.

Grayling Young People Present Missionary Pageant.

One of the finest gatherings ever held in Grayling was the Missionary convention held in the Michelson M. E. church last week Thursday and Friday. About sixty delegates were present and there was a fine spirit of cooperation in the important work of the convention.

The proceedings were carried out practically as outlined in the program published in the previous issue of the Avalanche. Mrs. Carl England is the president of the local society and had general supervision of arrangements locally and saw to it that every delegate was properly cared for and made comfortable and happy. The visitors were cared for in the homes. Luncheon and meals were served in the church banquet room, this work being handled by Paul Lovely and a number of assistants.

During the convention Mrs. Stedman of Detroit made a strong appeal for the working girls of her city. She is raising funds to build an Esther home for working girls, which it is planned to have ready by November. "This is a enterprise most worthy of our support," say the members of the convention.

Special on the program was a pageant given by some of the young people of the city Friday night. Some of the delegates assisted in some of the parts. It was all very interesting and pleasing. The principal theme throughout was that signified by "The light bringers," that wherever the light was taken to the different foreign nationalities in our country that there the American flag went with it.

The convention comprised what is known as the Saginaw-Bay district. The officers are as follows:

President—Mrs. W. H. Minard, Alpena.

Vice-presidents—Mrs. C. Macomber, Mrs. J. O. Goodsell, Mrs. Anna Mitts and Mrs. R. J. Case, all of Saginaw.

Corresponding secretary—Mrs. E. M. Litchfield, Bay City.

Treasurer—Mrs. I. Ruelle, Bay City.

The above officers were re-elected to serve for the coming year.

The names of the delegates as they appear on the register are as follows:

Bay City.

Dr. and Mrs. John Dystant.

Mrs. Ella Barnhart.

Mrs. O. P. Bancroft.
Mrs. G. V. Hoard.
Mrs. Roy Billing.
Mrs. W. O. Southwell.
Mrs. Mary Scott.
Miss Eloise Webster.
Miss Irene Johnson.
Mrs. William Greenleaf.
Mrs. E. M. Litchfield.
Miss Josephine Litchfield.
Mrs. J. W. Ruelle.
Saginaw.

Mrs. W. J. Winston.
Mrs. Guy W. Groom.
Mrs. C. C. Macomber.
Mrs. Norton.

Mrs. W. J. Davis.

Mrs. Bertha Hewitt.

Mrs. T. J. Pattinson.

Mrs. Burger.

Dr. A. A. Maywood, Detroit.

Mrs. Stedman, Detroit.

Mrs. Ida Jackson, Flint.

Chebeygan.

Rev. William A. E. Potts.

Mrs. Jos. Matt.

Mrs. A. Firmingham.

Mrs. Wheaton.

Onaway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Morford.

Mrs. Hollidge.

Mrs. Priest.

Mrs. Swank.

Mrs. Ludington.

Miss Boddy.

Miss Iva Dossie.

Miss Margaret Severance.

Miss Caldwell.

Miss Edith Roberts.

Rev. Lockyer.

Mrs. Klager.

Miss Trometer.

Mrs. Glaser.

Alpena.

Mrs. Minard.

Rev. and Mrs. Kuhlman.

Miss Pauline Kuhlman.

Mrs. Carl Holmes.

Mrs. Bright.

Miss Swerk.

Mrs. McElroy.

Miss Helen Thomas.

Miss Kline.

Mrs. F. Dyer, Caro.

Mrs. Malor, Auburn.

Miss Opal Sauden, Auburn.

Miss Lois Hollister, Auburn.

Mrs. Richard Gruin, Casperville.

NOTICE OF NO TRESPASSING.

The road crossing the S. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of section 5, town 26 north, range 3 west, is duly closed, and hereby trespassing is forbidden under penalty of the law. The main road runs from the top of the hill beyond the Fish Hatchery running north 80 rods along the west side of the above description.

Scott Wiley.

BOARD OF REVIEW.

June 13 and 14.

The annual meeting of the Board of Review of the Township of Grayling will be held in the Town hall, Monday and Tuesday, June 13 and 14 from 9:00 to 4:00 o'clock to review the Tax Roll.

NEXT WEEK IS COMMENCEMENT

A CLASS OF 13 TO GRADUATE FROM GRAYLING HIGH.

George Lusk to be Commencement Speaker.

Next week is commencement and a class of eight girls and five boys will receive diplomas.

The baccalaureate sermon will be given by Rev. C. E. Doty at the Michelson Memorial church next Sunday evening. On Tuesday evening at the banquet room of the same church will be held the Junior-Senior banquet.

Class night will be held at the school auditorium Wednesday night. The following comprise the class of 1921: Morley L. Abrahams, Mildred Bates, Helen M. Brown, James Cameron, Gordon Davidson, Charlotte M. Flagg, Charles Gierke, Ingeborg Hansson, Edmund L. Houghton, Lemp Korhonen, Doris McLeod, Ruby Olson, and Louise Salling.

On Thursday evening George Lusk of Lansing will deliver the commencement address. Mr. Lusk is a fine talker and will no doubt give the members of the class something well worth remembering.

FLAG DAY PROCLAMATION. (By the Governor)

The observance of Flag Day is of comparatively recent origin and seems to have been begun in the State of New York. The custom, however, has spread until practically every state in the Union has adopted it.

Honoring the flag means to honor the principles for which the flag stands, liberty, justice and equality. These are the foundation stones of the Republic. So long as these great principles are really respected and honored in the hearts of the people our government is safe. Our free institutions will weather any storm that may beat upon them.

Therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Michigan, I do hereby proclaim Tuesday, June 14, 1921, Flag Day.

Let flags be displayed on both public and private buildings; and I request that community exercises appropriate to the day be held wherever practicable.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State this second day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and of the Commonwealth the eighty-fifth.

Alex. J. Groesbeck,
Governor

The Seniors were guests of the Sophis Wednesday after school. They had a picnic at the lake.

The baccalaureate sermon will be given at the Michelson Memorial church Sunday evening at 7:30.

Charles Gierke returned Tuesday morning from Detroit, where he attended to some of the Senior class business.

The Juniors are selling tickets for "The Stolen Kiss" starring Constance Binney, given at the Temple Theatre.

Since when did Howard Peterson acquire a Father-in-law? Ask Almer Smith.

We will miss the many magazines in the library when school is out.

Girl Graduate books are quite prominent at school now. Have you autographed a Senior's book yet?

Mr. Smith will attend the University of Michigan this summer.

Miss Hoyt was the guest of honor at a shower given by the teachers Thursday evening.

The Senior banquet given by the Juniors at Michelson Memorial church will be Tuesday the fourteenth.

The scenery from "Dodging an Heiress" has been taken down.

Who isn't glad school's nearly out?

We expect the auditorium to be filled commencement and class nights.

The Graduating class this year is the largest in three years. There are eight girls and five boys.

The English 10 A class have studied "As You Like It," "Mac Beth," "The Ancient Mariner," "The King of the Golden River," "The Idylls of the King," and "Evangeline," this year.

WHY THE EDITOR LEFT TOWN.

Somebody sent the editor of the Pokertown Gazette a few bottles of home brew. The same day he received for publication a wedding announcement and a notice of an auction sale. Here are the results:

"William Smith and Miss Lucy Anderson were disposed of at public auction at my farm one mile east of a beautiful cluster of roses on her breast and two white calves, before a background of farm implements too numerous to mention in the presence of about seventy guests, including two milch cows, six mules and one bob sled. Rev. Jackson tied the knot with 200 feet of hay rope and the bridal couple left on one good John Deere gang plow for an extended trip with terms to suit purchasers. They will be at home to their many friends with one good baby buggy and a few kitchen utensils after ten months from date of sale to responsible parties and some fifty chickens."

—Exchange.

BUICK

Emblem of Satisfaction

AUTHORIZED
SERVICE

Present lines of new Buick six-cylinder models will be carried thru the 1922 season.

Beginning June 1st the new series and prices will be as follows, f. o. b. factories, Flint, Michigan.

Old Prices	New Prices
Model 22-44 Three Passenger Roadster.	\$1795
Model 22-45 Five Passenger Touring.	\$1795
Model 22-46 Three Passenger Coupe.	\$2585
Model 22-47 Five Passenger Sedan.	\$2895
Model 22-48 Four Passenger Coupe.	\$2985
Model 22-49 Seven Passenger Touring.	\$2065
Model 22-50 Seven Passenger Sedan.	\$3295
	\$1495
	\$1525
	\$2135
	\$2435
	\$2325
	\$1735
	\$2635

BUICK MOTOR COMPANY, FLINT, MICH.

Pioneer Builders of Valve-in-Head Motor Cars

Branches in all Principal Cities—Dealers Everywhere

Local Dealer

M. HANSON, :: Grayling.

Two Comrades Laid to Rest by Local Legion Post.



(Edited by X, Y and Z.)

You must cut your coat according to your cloth.

Old Proverb.

STARS AND STRIPES DRAPE COFFINS

TWO COMRADES LAID TO REST BY LOCAL LEGION POST.

Remains of Johannes Christenson and Samuel D. Hunt Brought From Overseas.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

The students of the Current History class gave five minute talks in the Assembly Friday morning. To open the program, selections from the Community Song Books were sung by the High School. We see the promise of good public speakers and debaters in the future.

</

STATE NEWS

Cadillac—The state convention of Exchange Clubs will be held here June 27.

Ionia—Martin Tingler, of Hastings, pleaded guilty to the charge of driving while intoxicated and was fined \$100. He paid.

Blanchard—Gale Baldwin, 13-year-old son of Mrs. Joe Baldwin, of Blanchard, lost his life in Pine River, when he slipped from a dock into the water.

Lansing—Sheridan F. Masters, assistant to Attorney General Wiley, has resigned. He will become general counsel for the Detroit Fidelity and Surety company.

Mt. Clemens—Bids on the \$60,000 Macomb county hospital bonds, drawing 6 per cent interest, were rejected by the supervisors and will be re-awarded. All proposals were below par.

Leroy—For the first time in years a bear has been seen and killed in Oscella County. The animal first was seen near Gregg's Lake in Sherman Township, and a couple of days later was shot by Harvey Greenman.

Bad Axe—Sixty-five years of marital bliss was broken when death took Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McDowell within three hours of each other. Death in each case was due to pneumonia and was preceded by only a short illness.

Grand Rapids—The city's seventh death this season in automobile accidents came when Lucile Staszewski, 3, was struck by a truck as she hurried across the street from her home to visit a candy store. The truck was driven by Frank Miras.

Grand Rapids—The American Enamelled Magnet Wire company of Muskegon, is defendant in a \$200,000 damage suit filed in district court by Max Lewenthal, receiver for E. F. Drew & Co. of New York city, who claims breach of contract for the purchase of cotton yarns.

Manistee—Practically all the personal belongings of S. Golden Filer, late Manistee millionaire lumberman and philanthropist, were disposed of here by auction sale. Two hump-backed zebras, known as sacred cattle of India, were given to Grand Rapids for park purposes.

Adrian—With 44 recruits signed up, this city is assured the first battalion headquarters company of the Michigan national guard, in addition to a company of infantry already formed. The formation of the two units makes certain a \$30,000 appropriation for an armory, which may be increased to \$50,000.

Grand Rapids—Police are searching for Oscar Schriener, who escaped the coroner and officers, after drinking a quantity of bed bug poison, it is said. Schriener swallowed the drink, his wife says, after a quarrel with her. She called the officers and when they arrived he ducked out a door and escaped.

Owosso—Johnny Morrison, 13 years old, son of James Morrison, living near Corunna, was drowned in Shiawassee river at Corunna while in bathing. The boy was just learning to swim and went beyond his depth. Five minutes had elapsed before other boys could summon help and Johnny was dead when taken from the water.

Lansing—Carl Young, of Muskegon, former president of the Michigan Federation of Labor, will be appointed a member of the new department of labor and industry. The other members will be James A. Kennedy, of Alton, Ill., and Thomas B. Gistler, of Detroit, both members of the present industrial accident board.

Benton Harbor—Edward R. Clarke, 18, Chicago, arrested by Sheriff George Bridgeman for murder in connection with a criminal assault upon Miss Lena Dunbar, 53, residing on a farm with her brother, near Sodus, pleaded guilty before Justice Harry Palmer. Clarke was arraigned on two counts, first degree murder and assault.

Port Huron—A saving of "several thousand dollars" would be effected by transfer of the trainmen's terminal from Port Huron to Battle Creek, now contemplated. H. E. Whittenberger, general manager of the Grand Trunk western lines, says in a letter to the chamber of commerce. Sixty families, approximately 250 persons, would be affected by the change of terminal, applying only to train crews.

Howell—A guard of seven state troopers accompanied three Detroit men here from the Oakland jail, where they were arraigned on charges of chloroforming and robbing Miss Christine Schable of a large sum of money in her farm home. The respondents are Anthony Valenti, George Franiolo and Suergrande Fingo. Justice Roche held them in bail of \$5,000 each, an aggregate of \$15,000, the highest ever exacted here.

Muskegon—Laura Crombie, 30 years old, a war widow, of Grand Rapids, formerly of Brooklyn, is suing Oscar Carlson, 20, of Muskegon, for \$5,000 for breach of promise. She says they met in Brooklyn in 1918, a month after her husband was killed in France, and that he promised to marry her. Carlson says the woman's temper drove him to break the agreement. It took the attorneys for both parties and the court some time to induce the plaintiff to tell her age. She told the court that while she was not ashamed of it, "I don't think it anybody's business."

Grand Rapids—The Michigan Community Council commission has closed its offices in Grand Rapids, after completing all of its obligations to the people of Michigan, according to a statement issued by Chairman Carroll F. Sweet. "Community councils, boards and committees carrying on a permanent work in their communities may now be added to or modified as the people themselves desire. They will be widely effective in their work only so long as they are democratically representative of the whole community," says Mr. Sweet.

GOVERNOR SENDS SECOND MESSAGE

URGES LEGISLATORS TO EARLY ACTION ON SOLDIERS' BONUS MEASURE.

57 SUBJECTS UP FOR ACTION

Senate Delays Vote on House Resolution Setting June 8 As Adjournment Date.

Lansing—In a second message to the special session of the legislature, Governor Groesbeck has presented 20 additional subjects for consideration, thus bringing the total of issues which may be discussed to 67. It is doubtful whether adjournment will be taken this week although the house has passed a resolution setting June 8 as adjournment date. This will likely be held up in the senate committee until the important measures have been acted upon.

Differences on the Dacey-Strom soldiers' bonus bill have delayed passage of the measure, for which the extra session was primarily called. The house passed it in amended form which provides that only one third of the \$30,000,000 bond issue necessary for the bonus run 30 years, another third 20 years, and the balance only ten years. This would save the state \$15,000,000 in interest. It would mean though the reprinting of the bonds and a delay in payment of the bonuses.

The Governor in his second message stated, "It is imperative the bonus money be available July 1, and anything which jeopardizes this plan should be avoided. He also took the stand that the belief that the short term bonds would save the state interest money was unfounded, and acting on these instructions, it is possible that an early agreement between the two houses will be reached.

Most of the additional subjects mentioned in the Governor's second message were submitted in bills and resolutions:

The governor asks for—

Additional appropriation for the Michigan Soldiers' home, creation of a Michigan-Wisconsin boundary commission, appropriations for the Ionia State hospital, Mackinaw Island Park commission, Michigan College of Mines, \$90,000 for new cell block at Marquette, supplemental deficiency bill, additional appropriations for departments and institutions.

Legislation requested by members of the legislature is:

Regulation of railroad crossings, construction and maintenance of drains, appointment and duties of county agents, corrections of errors in several enrolled acts of the regular session, and banking laws.

MANY KILLED IN RACE RIOTS

Oklahoma City Placed Under Martial Law by Governor.

Tulsa, Okla.—Race riots here last week resulted in the death of about 100 persons, including nine whites, and in the destruction of 10 blocks of homes in the Negro quarter. The city was placed under martial law by the governor but even then desultory firing continued for some time.

The trouble is declared to have started from the arrest of a Negro charged with attacking an orphan white girl, and subsequent attempts of other Negroes to rescue the arrested man.

U.S. ROTARIANS GO TO LIVERPOOL

Will Attend Twelfth Annual Convention of Rotary Clubs.

New York.—Eleven hundred members of the Rotary clubs of the United States and Canada were passengers on the steamers Cameronia and Caronia which sailed June 1 for Liverpool. They will attend the twelfth annual convention of the International Association of Rotary clubs at Edinburgh, Scotland, June 13-16. The convention will be the first held outside the United States.

MINIMUM SALARY IS FIXED

Presbyterian Ministers To Receive \$1800, Assembly Decides.

Toronto, Ont.—Presbyterian ministers are to receive a minimum salary of \$1,800 a year and the bonus granted aged clergymen is increased 25 per cent as the result of action taken by the Presbyterian general assembly. The church at large will guarantee the minimum salary.

Detroit—Four million nine hundred and ninety-nine thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine Ford cars are chugging around the world today bearing the message "Detroit, U. S. A." to every nook and cranny of civilization. Ford motor No. 5000000, turned out recently at the Highland Park factory of the Ford Motor Co., however, probably will stay in Detroit as part of the museum of Henry Ford. There it will be alongside the original Ford car that popped and spluttered uncertainly through the streets of Detroit back in the 90s.

Ann Arbor—Sigma Delta Chi, national journalistic fraternity, elected its offices in Grand Rapids, after completing all of its obligations to the people of Michigan, according to a statement issued by Chairman Carroll F. Sweet. "Community councils, boards and committees carrying on a permanent work in their communities may now be added to or modified as the people themselves desire. They will be widely effective in their work only so long as they are democratically representative of the whole community," says Mr. Sweet.

MADAME CURIE, DISCOVERER OF RADIUM, HONORED IN U.S.



MME. MARIE CURIE.

New York—Columbia university has bestowed upon Madame Marie Curie, co-discoverer of radium, the honorary degree of doctor of sciences.

Since her arrival in the United States a few weeks ago, Mme. Curie has been signally honored by several of the universities of the country. President Harding has presented her with \$100,000 worth of radium, the gift of American women.

NURSE IN CLOSED CAR DROWNS

Machine Backs Into Soo River When Cranked By Driver.

Sault Ste. Marie.—Mrs. J. S. Lamb, a nurse, was drowned at the Canadian Soo when a taxicab into which she had just stepped, backed off the dock into the river when the motor was cranked, the reverse gear apparently having been engaged at the time.

Policemen and firemen were called immediately and a tug which was stationed nearby grappled for the machine with ropes. The car was finally brought to the surface long enough to break a window and take out Mrs. Lamb's body. Life had gone in the quarter hour she had been submerged, helplessly locked in the car.

Her husband and four children survive her. Her husband is employed at the Kelsey Wheel Works at Windsor, Ont.

The chauffeur and his companion, who cranked the car, are being held by the Canadian police.

LEAGUE PREPARES FOR FIGHT

Europe Said to Be Angered at Idea of Rival Association.

Geneva.—The League of Nations is preparing for open warfare against any rival association of powers such as are suggested by President Harding.

The league, after remaining on the defensive, hoping the Harding scheme would die from lack of support, now has decided upon action measures to combat the American viewpoint.

This action was decided upon following reports that Uruguay, Chile and possibly other South and Central American countries plan to withdraw from the league with the ultimate purpose of joining a society of powers of which the United States would be the nucleus.

PRISON COMMISSION IS NAMED

Governor Groesbeck Appoints Members of Newly-Created Board.

Lansing—Governor Groesbeck has announced the appointment of Charles A. Blaney, Kalamazoo; Mark Merriman Jackson; Frank D. Eaman, Detroit; W. H. Porter, Lansing, and A. T. Roberts, Marquette, as members of the state prison commission. The prison commission will function as part of the newly created department of public welfare which will replace the various boards of control for state institutions.

In all there will be 22 commissioners and a director in the welfare department.

CALL WITNESSES FOR HEARING

Senate Sub-Committee Hear Charges in Senatorial Contest.

Washington.—In accordance with an agreement reached last week, witnesses were called June 8 to testify before the Spencer sub-committee in the Ford-Harrington senatorial contest.

It was agreed by both sides that the evidence presented at the trial in Grand Rapids would not be admissible, as members of the committee have already gone over the court records and have formed their conclusions.

TWO KILLED OVER BALL GAME.

Pittsburgh.—Two men were shot and killed and four others were wounded in a fight during a baseball game on the north side here. According to police, Jesse Baron, Negro, started the shooting when the team on which he had placed a bet lost the game. The first shot killed J. B. Conway, who had been in an argument with Baron, police said. Other pistols appeared in the crowd and four spectators were wounded. A policeman killed Baron.

Baruch Declines New Job.

Chicago.—John J. Epps, wealthy broker, was arrested here and held under \$5,000 bonds in connection with the recent \$1,000,000 mail robbery in Toledo. It was charged that Epps had in his possession and attempted to dispose of a number of bonds stolen in the Toledo robbery. Rev. Anthony Gorek, a priest of New Chicago, Ind., Stanley Bartowski, and John Pauke were arraigned here on charges of complicity in the robbery. Bonds for the minister were fixed at \$10,000.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Photo Engravers on Strike. New York—Photo-Engraving plants of 17 New York newspapers were tied up by a strike of engravers for a flat increase of \$8 a week. No commercial printing establishments were affected.

Portage Rubber Firm Bankrupt. Cleveland.—Federal Judge Westenhofer has appointed two receivers for the Portage Rubber company of Barberton, O., following a petition by three manufacturers claiming the company owed \$1,700,000.

U. S. Ambassador's Daughter Weds.

Madrid.—Mary Elizabeth Willard, daughter of Joseph E. Willard, United States ambassador to Spain, was married to Kervyn Herbert, secretary of the British embassy in Madrid and half brother of the Earl of Carnarvon.

Bone Named Alaska Governor.

Seattle, Wash.—Scott C. Bone, New York, former Washington and Seattle newspaper editor, prominent in national politics for years, has been appointed governor of Alaska to succeed Thomas C. Riggs, Jr. It was announced by Secretary of the Interior Laird.

Poor Picking for Flirt.

Detroit.—He flirted with a police woman, Mrs. Bert Naylor, 46, of 1902 Twelfth street. "Twenty-five dollars," said Judge Thomas M. Cotter in recorder's court. He told Judge Cotter he couldn't resist the officer's smile. She is Mrs. Susan Glincka. They met at the circus.

Girls Bigamist at 19.

New York.—Florence Cobleigh, 15, was charged with bigamy when she was arraigned in children's court, Brooklyn, as an alleged juvenile delinquent. Otto Beringer, 23, said that after he married the girl last April, he found she already had wed Robert Bracklehurst, 19.

Wanted Divorce, Leaves \$100,000.

Salem, Mass.—A bequest of \$100,000 by his wife, against whom divorce proceedings were pending at the time of his death, is contained in the will of Paul Crocker, of Fitchburg, filed for probate here. The will provides that Mrs. Crocker shall receive the \$100,000 in lieu of dower rights or other interest in the estate.

Falls Cause Bone Softening.

Chicago.—Frank Tinney, the musical comedy star, was operated upon at the American hospital for "bone softening." Dr. Max Thorek, who performed the operation, said Tinney was "resting comfortably." The disease, it was stated, was caused by the 80 falls a week that Tinney made while starring in a musical comedy.

Bryan to Reside in Florida.

New York.—William Jennings Bryan will vote in Florida in the future. While here he announced his actual residence in that state would become his legal residence. He was influenced in making the change he said, by the state of Mrs. Bryan's health, and in his new home expected to concern himself as much as ever with public affairs.

Wrecked Ship's Crew Saved.

Halifax, N. S.—The crew of the Gloucester schooner Esperanto was brought to port here by the Gloucestermen, Elsie. The Elsie had taken them off the wreck of their craft at Sable Island. The Esperanto, winner of the international fishing vessel championship race here last Fall, foundered after striking a submerged wreck, they said.

German Captain Gets Sentence.

Leipzig.—Six months imprisonment has been imposed on Capt. Mueller, the second German officer on trial for criminal acts during the war. He was charged with cruelties to prisoners at the Flavay-le-Martel prison camp in the Aisne Department of France. The first officer tried, Sergt. Heyne, was sentenced to 10 months in prison and another sergeant has since been sentenced to six months for the same offense.

Air Mail Chiefs Relieved.

Chicago.—E. W. Majors, superintendent, and W. S. Moore and Paul V. King, assistant superintendents of the Chicago division of the United States air mail service, were relieved from duty on orders from Washington. C. A. Parker was appointed postmaster of the Flavay-le-Martel prison camp in the Aisne Department of France. The first officer tried, Sergt. Heyne, was sentenced to 10 months in prison and another sergeant has since been sentenced to six months for the same offense.

Miss McCoy Enters the Business World as an Assistant in a Kansas Bank.

During the war she stepped into a position vacated by a soldier. He held it throughout hostilities and gave it back to the doughboy when he came home.

LEGION FLAG ADDS HISTORY

Ex-Service Men's Emblem Now Proudly Floats Where Five Others Held Sway.

The American Legion flag will fly in a part of New Orleans that has been under five flags, for the city administration has turned over a building in the heart of the old French quarter to posts of the Legion for four years.

Not far from the Legion building is the Spanish Cubillo where the Spanish colors flew in the breezes from the Gulf of Mexico until they were replaced by the French. The Louisiana Purchase in 1804 resulted in the appearance of the Stars and Stripes on the ramparts. In 1812, the British flag flew also in that vicinity for a few days. During the Civil war the Confederate colors waved proudly over the southern city. When the wounds of civil strife were healed the Stars and Stripes again reappeared.

The Legion building will have an auditorium, offices and clubrooms. It will also house Louisiana department headquarters, the Legion employment and service bureau, local posts, the Women's Auxiliary headquarters and the Pelicanaire, official organ of the Louisiana department.

Legion Activities in China.

American Legion activities in China are brisk, according to a letter which Frank E. Samuel, adjutant of the Kansas department, received from Dr. Andrew Woods, who is now with the Rockefeller foundation in Peking. Doctor Woods served as a neuro-psychiatric specialist in a Bordeaux hospital during the war. When Franklin D. Roosevelt, past commander of the Legion, stopped off at Peking, he assisted in the organization of a Legion post, which now boasts a membership of more than one hundred.

Tragedy Topic.

Paying \$5 for a pint of "cold tea" and getting it.

The Wreckers

FRANCIS LYNDE

Copyright by Charles Scribner's Sons

"RESIGNED—GAVE UP AND RAN AWAY?"

Synopsis.—Graham Norcross, railroad manager, and his secretary, Jimmie Dodds, are marooned at Sand Creek siding with a young lady, Sheila Macrae, and her small cousin. Uncle Hatch, a peculiar train holdup, in which a special train is carried off by Norcross and his men, is the occasion of the meeting of Francis, magnate, whom he was to meet at Portal City. He and Dodds rescue Chadwick. The latter offers Norcross the management of the Pioneer Short Line, which is in the hands of eastern speculators, headed by Breckenridge Dunton, president of the line. Norcross learns that Sheila Macrae is stopping at Portal City accepts. Dodds overhears conversation between Rufus Hatch and Henckel, Portal City financiers, in which they admit complicity in Chadwick's kidnaping. Their object being to keep Chadwick from exposing their secret. They also mention the Citizens' Storage and Warehouse company, which would jeopardize their interests. To curb the monopoly controlled by Hatch and Henckel, the Red Tower corporation, Norcross forms the Citizens' Storage and Warehouse company. He begins to manifest a deep interest in Sheila Macrae. Dodds learns that Sheila is married, but living apart from her husband. Norcross does not know this.

CHAPTER V

And Satan Came Also

"It was the way the Red Tower president began on me, and his voice took me straight back to the Oregon woods and a lumber camp where the saw-flers were at work. 'Where is Mr. Norcross?'

I told him that Mr. Norcross was up-town, and that I didn't suppose he would come back to the office again that night, now that it was so late.

"My name is Hatch, of the Red Tower company," he grated, after a minute or two. "You're the one they call Dodds, aren't you?"

I admitted it, and he went on.

"Norcross brought you here with him from the West, didn't he? What pay are you getting here?"

It was on the tip of my tongue to cuss him out right there, and then and tell him it was none of his business. But the second thought (which isn't always as good as it's said to be) whispered to me to lead him on and see how far he would go. So I told him the figures of my pay check.

"I'm needing another shorthand man, and I can afford to pay a good bit more than that," he growled. "They tell me you are well up at the top in your trade. Are you open to an offer?"

I let him have it straight then. "Not from you," I said.

"And why not from me?"

Here was where I made my first bad break. All of a sudden I got so angry at the thought that he was actually trying to buy me that I couldn't see anything but red, and I blurted out, "Because I don't hire out to work for any strong-arm outfit—not if I know it!"

For a little while he sat blinking at me from under his bushy eyebrows, and his hard mouth was drawn into a straight line with a mean little wrinkle coming and going at the corners of it.

When he got ready to speak again he said, "You're only a boy. You want to get on in the world, don't you? I'm offering you a good chance; the best you ever had. You don't owe Norcross anything more than your job, do you?"

"Maybe not."

"That's better. Put on your hat and come along with me. I want to show you what I can do for you in a better field than railroading ever was, or ever will be. I'll pay you—and he named a figure that very nearly made me fall dead out of my chair.

Of course, it was all plain enough. The boss had him on the hip with that kidnaping business, with me for a witness. And he was trying to fix the witness.

"I guess we needn't beat about the bushes any longer, Mr. Hatch," I said, bracing up to him. "I haven't told the sheriff, or anybody but Mr. Norcross, what I know about a certain little train hold-up that happened a few weeks ago down at Sand Creek siding; but that isn't saying that I'm not going to."

If I had had the sense of a field mouse, I might have known that I was no match for such a man; but I lacked the sense—lacked it good and hard.

"You're like your boss," he said slowly. "You'd go a long distance out of your way to make an enemy when there is no need of it. That hold-up business was a joke, from start to finish. I don't know how you and Norcross came to get in on it; the joke was meant to be on John Chadwick. The night before, at a little dinner we were giving him at the railroad club, he said there never was a railroad hold-up that couldn't have been stood off. A few of us got together afterward and put up a job on him; sent him over to Strathcona and arranged to have him held up on the way back." "Mr. Chadwick didn't take it as a joke," I retorted.

"I know he didn't; and that's why we're all anxious now to dig a hole and bury the thing decently. Perhaps we had all been taking a drop too much at the club dinner that night."

At that I swelled up man-size and kicked the whole kettle of fat into the fire.

"Of course, it was a joke!" I rippled out. "And your coming here to-night to try to hire me away from Mr. Norcross is another. The woods are full of good shorthand men, Mr. Hatch, but for the present I think I shall stay right where I am—where a court subpoena can find me when I'm wanted."

"That brought my dream, or one of them, back; the one about wandering around in a forest of Douglas fir and having to jump and dodge to keep the big trees from falling on me and smashing me."

"No more woods for mine," I said, sort of feebly. And then: "Where am I?"

"You are in bed in the spare room at Cousin Basil's. They wanted to take you to the railroad hospital that night, but when they telephoned up here to try to find Mr. Norcross, Cousin Basil went right down and

brought you home with him in the ambulance."

"That night, you say?" I parroted. "It was last night that the door fell on me, wasn't it?"

"I don't know anything about a door, but the night that they found you all burnt and crippled, lying at the foot of your office stairs, was three days ago. You have been out of your head nearly all the time ever since."

"Burnt and crippled? What happened to me, Maisie Ann?"

"Nobody knows; not even the doctors. We've been hoping that some day you'd be able to tell us. Can't you tell me now, Jimmie?"

I told her all there was to tell, mumble around among the words the best I could. Then she told me how the headquarters watchman had found me about midnight; with my right hand scorched black and the rest of me apparently dead and ready to be buried. The ambulance surgeon had insisted, and was still insisting, that I had been handling a live wire; but there were no wires at all in the tower hall, and nothing stronger than an incandescent light current in the office building.

"And you say I've been here hanging on by my eyelashes for three days? What has been going on in all that time?" Maisie Ann? Hasn't anybody been here to see me?"

She gave a little nod. "Everybody, nearly. Mr. Van Britt has been up every day, and sometimes twice a day. He has been awfully anxious for you to come alive."

"But Mr. Norcross?" I queried. "Hasn't he been up?"

She shook her head and turned her face away, and she was looking straight out of the window at the setting sun when she asked, "When was the last time you saw Mr. Norcross, Jimmie?"

I shook her head. "You are sparing with me, Jimmie, in some mistaken idea of being loyal to Mr. Norcross. You needn't, you know. Mr. Norcross has told me all about his plans; he has been very generous enough to say that I helped him make them. That is why I cannot understand why he should do as he has done—or at least as everybody believes he has done."

I say how it was. She was trying to find some explanation that would clear the boss, and perhaps implicate the Hatch crowd. I couldn't tell her the real reason why he had run away; Maisie Ann had been right as right about that; we must keep it to our two selves. But I tried to let her know that she wanted to know.

"Mr. Van Britt has told you about those two telegrams that came after Mr. Norcross left the office," I said, still covering up the fact that the telegrams hadn't been delivered—that they were probably in the pocket of my coat right now, wherever that was. "They were enough to make any man throw up his hands and quit. I should say."

"No," she insisted, looking me straight in the eyes. "You are not telling the truth now, Jimmie. You know Mr. Norcross better than any of us, and you know that it isn't the least little bit like him to walk out and leave everything to go to work. Have you ever known of his doing anything like that before?"

I had to admit that I hadn't; that, on the other hand, it was the very thing he'd least expect him to do.

"Mr. Norcross hasn't shown up at Mr. Chadwick's Chicago office?" I ventured.

"No. The telegraph people have been wiring everywhere and can't get any trace of him."

"Tell them to try Gatesburg. That's where his people live."

"I know," he said; and he made a note of the address on the back of an envelope. Then he came at me again, on the "direct," as a lawyer would say.

"Every man reaches his limit, some time," I protested. "What was Mr. Norcross to do, I'd like to know; with Mr. Chadwick getting scared out at the telephone office?"

It was on my tongue's end to say that Mr. Norcross never had seen those two telegrams, because I had them in my pocket and was on my way to deliver them when I got shot; but I didn't. Instead, I said: "And you think that was Mr. Norcross threw up his hands and ran away?"

"No; I don't think anything of the sort. I know what it was, and you know what it was," and at that she turned around and pushed me gently down among the pillows.

"What is it?" I whispered, more than half afraid that I was going to hear a confirmation of my own breath-taking conviction. And I heard it, all right.

"It was what I was telling you about, that same evening, you remember—in the hall when you brought the flowers for Cousin Sheila. You told him what I told you, didn't you?"

"No; I didn't have a chance—not any real chance."

"Then somebody else told him, Jimmie; and that is the reason he has resigned and gone away. Mr. Van Britt thinks it was on account of the two messages from Mr. Chadwick and Mr. Dunton, and that is why he wants to talk to you about it. But you know, and I know, Jimmie, dear; and for Cousin Sheila's sake and Mr. Norcross', we must never let it to a human soul. A new general manager has been appointed, and he is on his way out here from New York. Everything has gone to pieces on the railroad, and all of Mr. Norcross' friends are getting ready to resign. Isn't it perfectly heart-breaking?"

"It was; it was so heart-breaking that I just gasped once or twice and went off the hooks again, with Maisie Ann's frightened little shriek ringing in my ears as she tried to hold me back from slipping over the edge."

"You poor, poor boy!" she cooed, patting my pillow just like my grandmother used to when I was a little kid and had the mumps or the measles. "Are you still roaming around in the Oregon woods?"

That brought my dream, or one of them, back; the one about wandering around in a forest of Douglas fir and having to jump and dodge to keep the big trees from falling on me and smashing me.

"No more woods for mine," I said, sort of feebly. And then: "Where am I?"

"You are in bed in the spare room at Cousin Basil's. They wanted to take you to the railroad hospital that night, but when they telephoned up here to try to find Mr. Norcross, Cousin Basil went right down and

got out of the big gray eyes, and in them as if she had suddenly become so wise that nobody could ever fool her."

"You are feeling better now?" she asked, when she found me staring at her.

I told her I guessed I was, but that my hand hurt me some.

"You have had a great shock of some kind—besides the burn, Jimmie," she rejoined, folding up the bed covers so that the bandaged hand would rest easier. "The doctors are all puzzled. Does your head feel quite clear now—so that you can think?"

"It feels as if I had a crazy clock in it," I said. "But the thinking part is all right. Have you heard anything from Mr. Norcross yet?"

"Not a word. We have been hoping that you could tell us something when you should recover sufficiently to talk. Can't you, Jimmie?"

Reinventing what Maisie Ann had told me just before I went off the hooks, I thought I might tell her a bit if I dared to. But that wouldn't do. So I just said:

"I told Maisie Ann all I knew about Mr. Norcross. He left the office some little time before I did—with Mr. Ripley. I didn't know where they were going."

"They went to the hotel," she helped out. "Mr. Ripley says they sat in the lobby until after ten o'clock, and then Mr. Norcross went up to his rooms."

Of course, I knew that Mr. Ripley knew all about the Hatch ruction; but if he hadn't told her, I wasn't going to tell her.

"There was some trouble in connection with Mr. Hatch that evening wasn't there?" she asked.

"Hatch had some trouble—yes. But I guess the boss didn't have any," I replied.

"Tell me about it," she commanded;

and I told her just as little as I could;

how Hatch had had an interview with the boss earlier in the evening, while

I was away.

"It wasn't a quarrel?" she suggested.

"Why should they quarrel?" I asked.

She shook her head. "You are sparing with me, Jimmie, in some mistaken idea of being loyal to Mr. Norcross. You needn't, you know. Mr. Norcross has told me all about his plans; he has been very generous enough to say that I helped him make them. That is why I cannot understand why he should do as he has done—

or at least as everybody believes he has done."

"We Must Stand by Him and Defend Him."

all I had—except that thing about the undelivered telegrams and two or three others that I couldn't give him or anybody.

It was all good—except that thing about the undelivered telegrams and two or three others that I couldn't give him or anybody.

"We're in pretty bad shape, aren't we?" I suggested.

"We couldn't be in worse shape,"

was the way he put it. Then he told me a little more than Maisie Ann had; how President Dunton had wired to stop all the betterment work on the Short Line until the new general manager could get on the ground; how the local capitalists at the head of the new Citizens' Storage & Warehouse organization were scared plumb out of their shoes and were afraid to make a move; and how the newspapers all over the state were saying that it was just what they had expected—that the railroad was crooked in root and branch, and that a good man couldn't stay with it long enough to get his down easy.

"Mr. Van Britt has told you about those two telegrams that came after Mr. Norcross left the office," I said, still covering up the fact that the telegrams hadn't been delivered—that they were probably in the pocket of my coat right now, wherever that was. "They were enough to make any man throw up his hands and quit. I should say."

"I say how it was. She was trying to find some explanation that would clear the boss, and perhaps implicate the Hatch crowd. I couldn't tell her the real reason why he had run away; Maisie Ann had been right as right about that; we must keep it to our two selves. But I tried to let her know that she wanted to know.

"Because nobody has seen him since a little later that same night," she said, saying it very softly and without turning her head. And then: "Mr. Van Britt sent a letter from Mr. Norcross on his desk the next morning. It was just a little typewritten note, on a Hotel Billboard letter sheet, saying that he had made up his mind that the Pioneer Short Line wasn't worth fighting for, and that he was resigning and taking the midnight train for the East."

I sat straight up in bed; I should have had to do it if both arms had been burnt to a crisp clear to the shoulders.

"Resigned—gave up and ran away? I don't believe that for a single minute, Maisie Ann," I burst out.

She was shaking her head again, still without turning her face so that I could see.

"Tell them to try Gatesburg. That's where his people live."

"I know," he said; and he made a note of the address on the back of an envelope. Then he came at me again, on the "direct," as a lawyer would say.

"Every man reaches his limit, some time," I protested. "What was Mr. Norcross to do, I'd like to know; with Mr. Chadwick getting scared out at the telephone office?"

"The thing he wouldn't do would be to go off and leave all of his friends, Mr. Van Britt and Mr. Hornack, and all the rest, to fight it out alone. You know that as well as I do, Jimmie Dodds!"

"If you won't take my theory, you must have one of your own," I said; not knowing what else to say.

"I have," she flashed back. "And I want you to hurry and get well so that you can help me trace it out."

"Me?" I queried.

"Yes, you. The others are all so stupid! even Mr. Van Britt and Mr. Ripley. They insist that Mr. Norcross went east to see and talk with Mr. Dunton."

"You are sparing with me, Jimmie," she said, looking at me with a smile. "Mrs. Macrae insists that there has been foul play of some sort. You say you weren't present when Hatch called on Norcross at the office that night?"

"No; I came in just after Hatch went away."

"Did Norcross say anything to make you think there had been a fight?"

"He told me that Hatch was abusive and had made threats—in a business way."

"In a business way? What do you mean by that?"

I quoted the boss' own words, as nearly as I could recall them.

"So Hatch did make a threat, then?"</

CRAWFORD AVALANCHE SUBSCRIPTION RATES	
One Year	\$5.00
Six Months	1.00
Three Months	.50
Outside of Crawford county and Roosevelt, per year	\$2.50

Entered as second class matter at the Postoffice, Grayling, Mich., under the act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

O. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 9.

DON'T LET GEORGE DO IT
ALONE?

Why should the Board of Trade concern itself over the Grottos when they come here on an outing and convention?

Why bother with the Missionary delegates while in convention here?

Why maintain a club room where visitors and strangers are always welcome? Many of these latter we may never see nor hear of again.

Why should the members spend their time and energy and give the wear and tear on their autos, gasoline, oil and other favors to visitors, and sometimes strangers?

Why should the members aid in steering thru some of the conventions that come here?

There are a few questions that the people have a right to ponder over.

Do any of the members profit personally by doing these things? Very rarely, if at all, do they do so. Then why do they slave thus for others?

Why does this newspaper open its columns and publish column after column of matter in the interest of the success of these affairs that come this way, spending a lot of time and money for writing up the "dope" and getting it set and printed?

If anyone is so thoughtless as to believe that these things are done for the glory and fun of it, they are greatly mistaken. These things are done for Grayling. The members of the Board of Trade realize that in order to keep our city up to the front rank that we must be ever on alert and doing. The members pay their dues and besides they work for the good of the town. And we do not hesitate to say that every loyal and fair business man in Grayling should be a member of the Board of Trade. It is not fair for some to sit back and let the members carry these burdens alone and then all receive a share in the benefits.

Some may say, "I didn't receive any benefit from the Grottos, the Missionaries, nor anything else that has come here. We may answer that it is the same with us—we didn't get a red cent. But does anyone believe that several hundred men can come to Grayling and remain for three days without somebody getting a lot of revenue from them? These men have to eat, and they did eat—three healthy meals each day, for which each man paid 50¢ per meal.

Besides some of our merchants sold articles to individuals among them. One fellow bought six shirts from one store and said that the same quality in Bay City costs a lot more money. And so it goes. Every dollar that is left in Grayling adds just that much to our community.

Besides when a lot of people come here and go away and say they were used only in Grayling, it means that other organizations are coming here. Some cities pay thousands of dollars as bonuses to get some conventions to come to their town. Here we have asked no business man to go down into his pocket for from fifty to a hundred dollars with which to help entertain a convention. This may be necessary sometime, but it hasn't been asked yet.

But to sum the matter up, it does seem that every business house should associate itself with the Board of Trade and take on a part of the burden. It costs money to maintain a Board of Trade, and it requires membership to keep it up, and in that

way the organization needs every business man in it. And the business interests need the Board of Trade. Why not everybody get in and help push the old town along; and also perhaps when the forests are gone—and they are going, we may have a number of humongous enterprises in the places of our lumber mills.

We are going to have more conventions here in the future. Why the Grand Order of Elks are planning to hold a convention at the Military reservation and Lake Margrethe, either this summer or next summer. Can anyone fail to see what this means to Grayling? Right here is one of our greatest assets, provided we do our parts and help to make these conventions what they should be. They come here for recreation and pleasure and a good rest. It needs the strongest kind of an organization to keep the eyes of the people of Michigan looking toward Grayling. They are beginning to turn this way right now. We cannot afford to allow a single clover to fall into the machinery at this time. Let's keep the old sun shining. The old town sits amidst acres of diamonds, and they are ours if we properly grasp the opportunities that are now afforded us.

Don't expect "George" to do it alone, and all get part of the benefits.

ELDORADO NUGGETS.

(Too late for last week.)

Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Crotteau of St. Charles returned Monday after spending the week end with Mrs. Crotteau's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Royce.

Fred Hartman sold a horse to Mrs. John McMaster Monday.

George Basing and wife of Flint spent a few days this week with Mrs. Basing's mother, Mrs. J. H. Hartman. Sunday the Basings and Hartmans drove to Lewiston in the Basing car to visit the John W. Hartman family. Mrs. John Hartman returned with them and will spend the week in this neighborhood.

Sidney Hodges of Mt. Morris returned Monday after a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Conrad Webnes and family and Mr. and Mrs. F. Lamm attended the celebration at Grayling Monday.

Fred Hartman and Conrad Webnes were West Branch visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Joseph Howe.

Mrs. Joseph Howe, another old resident and pioneer was laid to rest Monday. She was born May 24th, 1845 and died May 28th, 1921 at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Elmer Head at Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Howe came to this neighborhood from Corunna about thirty-one years ago, taking up a homestead just across the line in Oscoda Co., where they resided about fifteen years. During part of that time Mr. Howe held the position of Postmaster of Tyrell postoffice. Since Mr. Howe's death five years ago, Mrs. Howe made her home with her children, four of whom survive her. They are Mrs. Cotes Saunders of Corunna, Mrs. Amos Pearsall and Mrs. William Ochs of Detroit, and Mrs. Elmer Head of Pontiac. The funeral was held in Pontiac Saturday, and interment took place in the Pioneer Cemetery, South Branch Township, Monday, where rest the remains of her husband and son, Henry.

Mrs. Saunders, Mrs. Pearsall, Mr. and Mrs. Ochs, Mr. and Mrs. Head, and two of the grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Zettle of Fife Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Pearsall of Johannesburg, attended the services here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamm returned to Chicago Friday after a two weeks' visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Conrad Webnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Teall returned to Flint after a week's outing at McMaster's.

Mrs. Frances R. McFarland and little twin daughters of Birmingham are again at E. B. Hollowell's for the week.

Coming "The Devil" at the Temple soon.

summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Williams and Norton Williams spent Sunday at the Kreuzer home.

John W. Hartman, son, Harold, and daughter, Ruth, of Lewiston were Monday callers in the neighborhood.

Mrs. Hartman returned home with her husband and son. Ruth will remain for a time with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hartman.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes of Detroit arrived Sunday to enjoy the fishing at McMaster's for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. William Williams and George Williams of Grayling were Sunday visitors at the James Williams' home.

VILLAGE ASKED TO REMOVE CEMENT BLOCKS FROM THE TRUNK LINE HIGHWAY.

State Highway Chairman Says No. Road Work In Town Abandoned Until Matter Is Settled.

The Village Council is in receipt of a letter requesting that the cement blocks placed at the intersections of Michigan avenue and Cedar street and at Ottawa and Cedar streets, placed there by the Village to serve as "silent policeman", be removed.

The request was made by District Engineer DeGolper who claims that they are obstructions and are dangerous.

The matter was taken up by the council with the State Highway department and a letter received from State Chairman Rogers, says that they are a part of the Village traffic regulations and asks that no attention be paid to any orders to the contrary.

It has been the custom of the village for several years past to maintain a movable traffic post at these and other places for the purpose of regulating the traffic and require that auto drivers drive to the right. The necessity of such regulations is very apparent. It is claimed that the dummies used heretofore were frequently knocked over, and at times purposely so, and the cost of purchasing new red lantern globes every time one was broken, was expensive. Therefore the Village council decided to construct a permanent cement pillar, electrically lighted, in these places, thus to stop any further trouble.

Apparently some are opposed to these cement blocks, when sentiment seems to be in accord with the ideas of Mr. DeGolper, and thus the action mentioned above has been taken.

The Village council maintains that these are a necessity, and contend that they do not obstruct the highway and are not dangerous.

They claim that anyone observing speed regulations, ten miles an hour in the business section, should always be able to control their car in such a way that there should be no occasion for accidents. Further they claim that any driver who cannot easily pass by or go around the posts, is not a safe driver and should not be permitted to drive a car.

This is the condition as it now stands and results must be awaited. In the meantime the Road Commissioners have ordered all work being done on the down town streets to cease. This, unfortunately, will delay the completion of these highways and thus keep the effected streets in a partly finished condition until the matter may be settled. It was hoped by all that these streets might be finished before the rush of business and visitors. The above mentioned letter will appear in the regular account of the proceedings of the Village council next week.

THANK AUTO OWNERS.

The Grayling Board of Trade hereby express their thanks and appreciation to all who aided in the entertainment of the Grottos and the delegates to the Missionary convention held here last week, by the use of their cars and otherwise. It is duly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamm returned to Chicago Friday after a two weeks' visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Conrad Webnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Teall returned to Flint after a week's outing at McMaster's.

Mrs. Frances R. McFarland and little twin daughters of Birmingham are again at E. B. Hollowell's for the week.

Coming "The Devil" at the Temple soon.

MERCY HOSPITAL TO GRADUATE CLASS OF THREE.

Exercises Will be Held at School Auditorium Next Monday Evening.

The Mercy Hospital Training school for nurses will hold commencement exercises at the School Auditorium next Monday evening, June 13. The class of young ladies who have finished their course in nursing are the Stanley N. Insley class, named in honor of the late Dr. Stanley N. Insley. Those of the class are the Misses Johanna Jenson, Idessa A. Johnson and Anna C. LaMotte. The exercises will begin at 8:00 o'clock, and the public is cordially invited. A reception for the class will be held at the Knights of Columbus hall on the following evening.

FREDERIC BREEZES.

Mr. and Mrs. Cork and daughter from Illinois have come to spend the summer in Frederic. They are guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Sheldon.

Mrs. George Collen of Grayling called on her mother, Mrs. Ensign one day last week.

George Sheldon of Frederic and Mr. Bailey of Grayling were callers at the Ward Farm last week.

Mr. James Tobin was not heard by the particulars. He went to Grayling hospital last Sunday.

School closed last Friday with a picnic at Jones Lake.

The Ladies Aid society will meet at Ward's farm. All are invited. Lunch will be served. The date is Wednesday afternoon, the 9th of June.

Rev. Doty and family of Grayling were callers at Frederic last Sabbath. We had a frost last Sunday evening. It did not do much harm to the crops.

Mrs. Erving Rowe got word of the sudden death of a brother last Sunday.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the American Legion for the courtesy shown during the arrival and burial of our son and brother Johannes Christensen; the minister for his kind words of sympathy and the singers for their beautiful songs and the citizen's band for the music rendered.

We also thank the American Legion, W. R. C. and the L. N. L. and friends and neighbors for their beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. A. Christensen and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Christensen, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Christensen, and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. Christensen and F. Christensen.

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No ad. taken for less than 25 cts. There are about six words to the line.

SEND MONEY WITH ORDER

ROOMERS WANTED—MRS. WALTER HANSON, CHESTNUT ST.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSE OR ROOMS, MODERN CONVENiences DESIRED. E. V. BARBER. 6-2-2.

FOR SALE—FURNISHED COTTAGE AT LAKE MARGRETHE. ADDRESS J. W. GARRISON, WORTHINGTON, OHIO. R. F. D. NO. 1. 5-26-11.

STRAYED FROM MY PREMISES northeast of Grayling, one bay horse; weight about 1400; white star in forehead; had on halter. Anyone with information leading to his recovery will be rewarded. Phone no. 66-1 Long 4 Short. A. P. Feldhauser, Grayling. 5-26-11.

MALE HELP WANTED—GET BUSY, KEEP BUSY. IS YOUR JOB UNSAFE? IS IT PERMANENT? YOU WANT A LIFE-LONG BUSINESS. YOU CAN GET INTO SUCH A BUSINESS SELLING MORE THAN 137 WATKINS PRODUCTS DIRECT TO FARMERS IF YOU OWN AUTO OR TEAM OR CAN GET ONE; IF YOU ARE

An Announcement by
The Studebaker Corporation
of America

Eight months ago, when the costs of material and labor appeared to have reached their peak, we made substantial reductions in the prices of Studebaker cars. These reductions were in anticipation of our ability, after the turn of the year, to purchase materials and to fabricate them at lower costs.

The expected savings have been realized.

With them, other savings have been made, as a result of the greatly increased volume which Studebaker has this year enjoyed.

During the first five months of 1921, our volume of business has exceeded that of any other automobile manufacturer except Ford.

The Studebaker plants are running

New Prices of Studebaker Cars

F. O. B. Factories, effective June 1, 1921

Touring Cars and Roadsters

	Coupe and Sedans
Light-Six 2-Pass. Roadster	\$1300
Light-Six Touring Car	\$1335
Special-Six 2-Pass. Roadster	\$1585
Special-Six 4-Pass. Coupe	\$2450
Special-Six Touring Car	\$1635
Special-Six 4-Pass. Roadster	\$1635
Big-Six 4-Pass. Coupe	\$2850
Big-Six 7-Pass. Sedan	\$2950

ALL STUDEBAKER CARS ARE EQUIPPED WITH CORD TIRES.

This Is Studebaker Year

The Studebaker Corporation of America

Detroit, Mich.

South Bend, Ind.

Walkerville, Canada.

Harry E. Simpson
Dealer, Grayling, Mich.

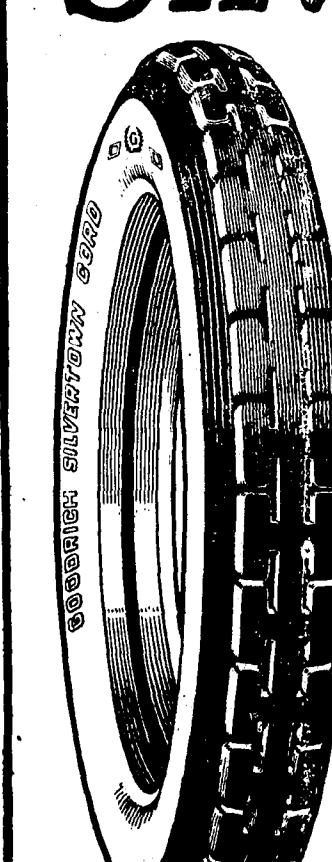
CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

Every family should keep this pre-summer months. It is almost sure to be needed, and when that time comes, is worth many times its cost. Buy it now.—Adv.

Goodrich Tire Prices
reduced 20 per cent

The last word in Quality
The best word in Price

Silvertown
CORDS



Swim Kaps

All styles, sizes and shapes.

35c to \$2.50 each



LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JUNE 9.

Henry Lytle is driving a new Ford. Coming "The Devil" at the Temple soon.

Charles Case returned Wednesday from a visit in Traverse City.

Take your watches, jewelry and glasses to the Gift Shop for repair.

Mrs. Rasmus and Mrs. Esbern Hanson are spending the week in Saginaw.

Mr. Herbert Trudeau went to Bay City Tuesday to drive back a car for A. E. Michelson.

Miss Irene Johnson of Bay City spent the week-end visiting her aunt Mrs. Robert Reagan.

Miss Agnes Havens returned to Bay City Saturday after spending a week with her parents.

Mrs. Amanda Simpson returned Saturday from Whitemore, where she spent a couple of weeks.

Mrs. W. T. Hammond of Bay City spent the week-end with friends here, returning home Saturday afternoon.

Miss Hilda Nielsen has returned to Flint, after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Will Heric and friends.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Kubeth of Deward, at Mercy Hospital, Wednesday June 1st, a daughter.

Mrs. Terhune of Frederic, wife of Rev. Terhune came to Grayling Monday to enter Mercy hospital for treatment.

Coming "The Devil" at the Temple soon.



Importers, exporters, travelers—ship and sail under the Stars and Stripes

THERE are today few ports in the world of importance to shippers or travelers, which cannot be reached by ships that sail under the Stars and Stripes.

President Harding has said that, "We cannot sell successfully where we do not carry". The American Merchant Marine that once almost vanished is again an established and important carrier of the world's commerce.

You can ship or sail anywhere in American ships designed for utmost comfort and safety.

Operators of Passenger Services

Admiral Line, 17 State Street, New York, N. Y.

Matson Navigation Company, 20 So. Gay Street, Baltimore, Md.

Munson Steamship Co., 82 Beaver Street, New York, N. Y.

New York and Porto Rico S. S. Co., 11 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Pacific Mail S. S. Co., 45 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

U. S. Mail S. S. Co., 45 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Ward Line, (New York and Cuba Mail S. S. Co.) Foot of Wall Street, New York, N. Y.

Free use of Shipping Board films

Use of Shipping Board motion picture films, four reels, free on request of any mayor, postmaster, or other authorized official, to encourage shipping of ships and the sea. Write for information to H. L. Lau, Director of Information Bureau, Room 911, F. B. I. Building, N. W., Washington, D. C.

SHIPS FOR SALE

(To American citizens only)

Steamers, boats, sail and coal barges, also wind steamers, wood ships and ocean-going cargo. Further information obtained by request.

For sailings of passenger and freight ships to all parts of the world and all other information, write to any of the above lines or to the

U. S. Shipping Board

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Genuine "Swim Kap" brand. The highest type of Bathing Caps

Coming "The Devil" at the Temple soon.

The Hat Shop offers smart hats at very low prices.

Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. will have work in the third degree to night.

Mr. Sam Fry of Saginaw was a guest of Miss Pearl Haynes a few days of last week.

Mrs. H. Blissonette and family have moved into the Walmer Jorgenson house on Park street.

Fleck's fly chaser for live stock. Guaranteed to keep them away. Try it.

Lewis Drug Store

Rev. C. E. Doty went to Saginaw Monday to consult a physician in regard to his health. He returned home Wednesday.

A representative of the Federal board is expected to be in Grayling soon to prove on all cases of disability of ex-service men.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the Baccalaureate sermon at the Michelson Memorial church next Sunday night.

Ladies' sport and tailored hats in the latest fads and fancies. Just in time for mid-summer wear.

Frank Dreese.

Miss Minnie Daugherty, of the Grayling Mercantile Co., clerking force is spending the week visiting relatives and friends in Bay City Twining and Augres.

Barney Penn is seriously ill at the home of his brother, Earl Penn or the South side with paralysis, having been stricken one day last week while cranking his auto.

Mrs. Parker of Bay City mother of Mr. J. P. Davidson is a guest at the Davidson home, coming to remain over the Commencement exercises her grandson, Gordon Davidson being a graduate of this year's class.

Rev. and Mrs. Kjolhede, Mrs. Chris Johnson, Mrs. Waldemar Jenson, Mrs. Olaf Sorenson, Mrs. H. P. Hanson and Mr. J. H. Cook left Monday afternoon for Dwight III, to attend a Danish convention of the Danish Lutheran church.

Ernest Duvall resumed his duties as deliveryman at the Simpson grocery Monday after a couple of weeks' vacation spent in Monroe, Detroit and Toledo together with his wife and baby. Mrs. Duvall and baby will be gone a week longer.

Don't forget the Sunday evening dinner dances at Colen's Inn. Yourself and friends are invited. Good eats; good music and good dancing. We cater to the public seven days a week, and assure good service and fine treatment.

Miss Nina Petersen was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower given by Mrs. Charles Schreck and Mrs. W. E. Russell Monday evening. The rooms were beautifully decorated in pink and white crepe paper. Miss Petersen was the recipient of many useful things. A delicious lunch was served.

The Sheriff of Arenac county uses 40 inches of advertising in the Standard Independent to notify the dog owners of that county that their dog licenses must be paid before June 25. After that date he states that the Supervisors have ordered him to prosecute all owners of dogs on which license has not been paid. We'll wager that the advertisement will bring quick results. This seems an easy method of handling an unpleasant duty.

Coming "The Devil" at the Temple soon.

Olaf Michelson arrived home from Detroit Tuesday night, driving up his Studebaker car. He was accompanied by his brother Frank, who will get his cottage at Lake Margrethe ready for occupancy for the summer.

A son was born this Thursday morning to Postmaster and Mrs. Holger F. Peterson, at Mercy hospital.

The King's Daughters of the M. E. church surprised their teacher Mrs. Andrew Brown with a nice party at the church Tuesday evening, the occasion being Mrs. Brown's birthday.

The tables were beautifully decorated with flowers. A delicious lunch was served and Mrs. Brown was presented with a fountain pen. After lunch an entertainment was given by the children.

To compliment Miss Hoyt and Miss Boddy, who are leaving Grayling permanently, the Goodfellowship club gave a luncheon Saturday afternoon at the dining hall at Lake Margrethe. Miss Jossen in a very gracious manner presented the guests of honor, in behalf of the club, with silver spoons. After the luncheon the ladies spent the afternoon at Mrs. Bauman's cottage.

The State fish car from Wolverine came to Grayling last Saturday and left Monday with a car load of Rainbow trout for the Upper Peninsula.

They will return Wednesday and leave Friday morning on the second trip to the Upper Peninsula.

The car is in charge of Capt. Fred Westernan and will be returned to Paris. The rest of the fry at the local Hatchery will be planted by messengers.

Supt. P. G. Zalsman was called to Wisconsin first of the month to look over a proposition offered by the Wisconsin conservation committee in regard to taking charge of one or more of the fish hatcheries of that state, but declined to accept. Mr. Zalsman has had charge of the local hatchery since it started and has built it up to where there are none better in Michigan. The good work he has done here is greatly appreciated by the officers and members of the Hatchery club and also the fish commission.

Christ W. Olson left early Monday morning in his auto for Ossos, having disposed of most of his interests in this place. Mr. Olson had resided in Grayling for the past twelve years and for the last five years held the position of head book-keeper for the Salling Hanson Company. He resigned sometime ago and his place was taken by Mr. John Bruun. In the near future Mr. Olson expects to go into the lumber business for himself and no doubt he will make a success of this business just as he has done in anything he undertook in Grayling. He has been president of the local Board of Trade the past year and a live booster of this organization.

In Mr. Olson's absence, the matter of a Community house was brought up again and discussed.

All members standing in favor of such a building for Grayling.

Vote of Thanks.

We wish to thank the people of Crawford county for their sincere help and the cooperation shown.

Especially do we wish to thank Rev. Doty and Mr. R. Hanson; the donors of auto; the W. R. C. L. N. L. and N. L. V. S. and the Grotto.

Coming "The Devil" at the Temple soon.

GIFTS THAT LAST

Wedding Gifts



FOR HER

Diamond Ring or Lavalliere

Birth Stone, Friendship

or Dinner Ring

Brooches, Bar Pins

String of Pearls,

or Bracelet Watch

Toilet Set or

Individual Articles

FOR THEM

Silver Table Ware

Cut Glass

Anniversary or Chime

Clock

Make the young couple happy

with jewelry—a set of shining

silver or elegant cut glass that will

add joy to their lives and beauty to

the new home—Such articles are

now on display in our store.

Andrew Peterson

Jeweler.

Coming "The Devil" at the Temple soon.

Mrs. Frank Aistigt is visiting in Detroit.

Frank Calkins is spending the week in Gaylord.

The Frederic schools closed Friday

as for the summer vacation.

A sale of all Spring, Tailored and

Sport hats will begin Saturday last

for one week. The Hat Shop.

Little Carl Peterson celebrated his

third birthday on Tuesday of last

week by inviting a number of his

friends to spend the afternoon.

Clarence Johnson left for Grand

Rapids Monday in company with his

brother Carl and is expected to return

today with a Hudson auto.

A. J. Joseph and A. M. Lewis left

Wednesday night for Flint. They will

return with a new Buick touring car,

the property of Mr. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Baumgras

notored to Grayling from Lansing,

arriving Friday. They will be at the

military reservation for the summer.

The young people are greatly en-

joying the dancing parties that are

being given at the Collen pavilion this

season. Several couples took in

the party last evening.

William McNeven, night yardmas-

ter for the M. C. has been confined to

his home since last Sunday with

illness. During his enforced absence

Allyn Kidston is taking his place.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Borchers en-

tertained Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Pank-

hurst of North Star, Mich. at their

home Saturday and Sunday. Dr. Pank-

hurst came to try his luck at

fishing.

Mr. Floyd Miller of Bay City was

a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Mc-

Neven and family over last Sunday.

They spent the week-end resorting at

Lake Margrethe, occupying the Mrs.

Albert Kautz cottage.

A number of salesmen of the Wild-

man Rubber company of Bay City have

been in the city for several days

selling stock in that new enterprise.

The Woman's club held a special

meeting at Lake Margrethe, Wed-

nesday afternoon. Following the

meeting a pot-luck

CONDENSED CLASSICS

PEG WOFFINGTON

By CHARLES READE

Condensation by
Edward H. Crosby

PEG WOFFINGTON stood before the mirror in her dressing room at the Theater Royal, Covent Garden, London. She was alone with her thoughts, and they were both serious and pleasant, if the play on her mobile features could be taken as a criticism. She was summing up her eventful career from the time when but a child of eight, cold, ragged and hungry, she had been found on the Desmond quay in Dublin by an actress who understood her professional education, to the present moment, when as the reigning actress of the British capital, she had the world at her feet.

She had many admirers and quite a few flirtations, but they had all been ephemeral, as Peg Woffington could quickly detect the difference and the sympathies of the jessamine doree which hung about her shrine. She was a woman of the world, keen, suspicious and cynical, and while she toyed with her gallants, her heart and soul were in her work. But one evening she noticed in a box, a face new to the theater. He was a man evidently from the provinces, but he gazed at her with undisguised admiration. Night after night he was at his post, listening intently to every word she spoke and with an unmistakable air of respect.

She waited, thinking like all the others, he would seek an interview, but as time went on, and he made no attempt to bring about an acquaintance, Peg's curiosity was piqued and by guarded inquiries she learned that he was Ernest Vane, a country gentleman of means and reputed a bachelor. One night, however, Mr. Vane was brought to the green room by Sir Charles Pomander, a man about town who had long but unsuccessfully sought to win Peg's favor. Miss Woffington was not in the room when Mr. Vane first arrived. He quickly adjusted himself to the novel surroundings and launched into a eulogy of Peg's personal charms and histrioic ability.

During Mr. Vane's remarks Peg had entered the room and overheard her praises so eloquently sung and, knowing that Mr. Vane was unaware of her presence, she was impressed with his sincerity. Then they were introduced and Mr. Vane was almost speechless with admiration. All that his imagination had painted, was more than realized. Her beauty, her intelligence, her gracefulness—were overpowering and Mr. Vane, in his embarrassment, could only stammer a few incomprehensives. Here indeed was a novelty, and her curiosity turned to interest.

She was still cautious and would treat her newfound friend with varying moods. As she stood before her mirror, she was awaiting the arrival of Mr. Vane. They had become warm friends, much more on the part of Mr. Vane, who had openly declared his love and had sent her many tokens of his affection, which Peg had accepted, but with her peculiar whims she had declined anything save some inexpensive gift, telling her lover that it was the sentiment which she desired, not the intrinsic value of the present. She had decided to reveal to Mr. Vane that she, in turn, loved him, but the old suspicious feeling would not leave her.

When they were alone together Peg placed her hands on Vane's shoulders and gazing fixedly into his eyes said, "Ernest, we actresses make good the old proverb, 'many lovers, few friends,' but no one outside our circle knows how much we need a friend. Will you be one to me?"

And Ernest promised faithfully. Then she gave herself up to the intoxication of the moment. With all her adulation Peg was lonely. There had been no one to whom she could go and open her heart with a sense of security, and when Vane peered into her willing ear his avowals of undying love and devotion, Peg's hungry soul drank in his words as the thirsty earth absorbs refreshing showers. She was supremely happy.

Sir Charles Pomander did not at all relish the turn affairs had taken. He had planned many schemes to win Peg's affection, and when he witnessed the triumph of one he regarded as a rank outsider he was turned to hate. He delighted insidiously to poison Vane's mind with stories of Peg Woffington's past life and on one occasion he was nearly successful. James Triplet, a hanger-on at Covent Garden, was recognized by Peg as one who had befriended her in the early days of poverty. Triplet was a playright and scene shifter, and to give him assistance Peg offered him a commission to paint her portrait. Peg's visits to Triplet's studio were told by Sir Charles to Vane as evidence of Peg's faithlessness, but the falsity of the charges was soon proved and Vane's infatuation was stronger than ever. Sir Charles had almost abandoned hope of defeating his rival until one day, when returning to London from the country, he gave assistance to a woman whose coach had become disabled.

BRIEF INFORMATION

A Hindu girl, after her twelfth year, is not permitted to talk to boys, except to the nearest relatives or family friends.

The United States not only leads the world in the production of talc and soapstone, but also in their manufacture and use.

The modern harp has been evolved from types found among the Egyptians, Assyrians, Hebrews and various Celtic nations.

The beauty of the lady so impressed Sir Charles that he sent his servant to learn her identity, and the man brought back word that she was Mrs. Ernest Vane. A deadly weapon was thus placed in Sir Charles' hands, but he refrained from making public his information until the proper moment. A banquet had been arranged by Mr. Vane in honor of Peg Woffington and Sir Charles managed to have Mrs. Vane appear when the festivities were at their height.

His scheme was successful and the effect of Mrs. Vane's advent was electrical. Mr. Vane, not knowing that his wife was in town, was filled with consternation, but Peg's tact did not desert her even in this trying moment and she introduced those present as members of the nobility. Mrs. Vane was not suspicious, and accepted the situation in good faith, but Triplet, who had brought verses in honor of Miss Woffington, and being unaware of Mrs. Vane's identity, revealed the true facts and the wife was heartbroken.

As for Peg, she was furious at the deception placed upon her. She fully believed that Mr. Vane was free to woo her and then in a moment, her dreams were rudely shattered and her faith in mankind destroyed. She determined to take desperate revenge. She would keep Vane at her side in spite of the wife and then, when he was firmly in her toils, she would publicly discard him. Filled with these thoughts she went to Triplet's studio where the portrait he had painted was to be exhibited.

The first glance showed the picture to be a wretched failure, and even Triplet acknowledged his defeat. But there was no time to lose, for the critics were already approaching the studio. Peg, with a sudden inspiration, cut the face from the portrait and, having arranged the draperies so that her body would be concealed, she placed her own features in the aperture. The comments of the connoisseurs were indorsements, some deploring there was not the slightest resemblance to the original, others that the flesh tints were imperfect, and still others that the drawing was out of all proportion. When the opinion had been expressed, Peg came from behind the easel and expressed her views in true Milesian manner.

Peg remained after the others had departed and told Triplet of her intentions toward Mr. Vane. Unexpectedly Mrs. Vane knocked at the door of the studio. She had been followed by Sir Charles. Pomander and had sought refuge from his attentions. Peg had no desire to cast Mrs. Vane out, as she was not sufficient time to escape, so once more she went before the easel and placed her face in the portrait. Mrs. Vane, after examining her presence, noticed the picture and exclaimed:

"You are a great artist, Mr. Triplet, the likeness actually breathes. Oh that she were here, instead of this I would speak to her. I would speak to her, I am not wise or learned, but I have never pleaded as I would plead to her for my Christ's heart."

She paused for a moment and then, addressing the picture, continued:

"Oh, yes, you are beautiful, you are gifted and the eyes of thousands wait on your every word and look. What wonder that he, ardent, refined and gentle, should lay his heart at your feet? I cannot take him from you, oh, be generous to the weak and give him back to me! Give him back to me, beiful, terrible woman, and I will love you longer than men can love."

Suddenly she started back with a wild scream.

"He is alive!" she cried and running to Triplet, hid her face on his shoulder.

For Peg had been so affected by the previous appeal of the heartbroken woman that with all her self-control she could not check the tears which coursed down her cheeks. Peg ordered Triplet to leave the room and when the two women were alone Peg turned to Mrs. Vane and said calmly:

"I trust, madam, you will do me the justice to believe I did not know Mrs. Vane was married."

"I am sure of it," replied Mrs. Vane.

"You are as good as you are gifted."

When they were alone together Peg placed her hands on Vane's shoulders and gazing fixedly into his eyes said,

"Ernest, we actresses make good the old proverb, 'many lovers, few friends,' but no one outside our circle knows how much we need a friend. Will you be one to me?"

And Ernest promised faithfully.

Then she gave herself up to the intoxication of the moment. With all her adulation Peg was lonely. There had been no one to whom she could go and open her heart with a sense of security, and when Vane peered into her willing ear his avowals of undying love and devotion, Peg's hungry soul drank in his words as the thirsty earth absorbs refreshing showers. She was supremely happy.

Sir Charles Pomander did not at all relish the turn affairs had taken. He had planned many schemes to win Peg's affection, and when he witnessed the triumph of one he regarded as a rank outsider he was turned to hate. He delighted insidiously to poison Vane's mind with stories of Peg Woffington's past life and on one occasion he was nearly successful.

James Triplet, a hanger-on at Covent Garden, was recognized by Peg as one who had befriended her in the early days of poverty. Triplet was a playright and scene shifter, and to give him assistance Peg offered him a commission to paint her portrait. Peg's visits to Triplet's studio were told by Sir Charles to Vane as evidence of Peg's faithlessness, but the falsity of the charges was soon proved and Vane's infatuation was stronger than ever. Sir Charles had almost abandoned hope of defeating his rival until one day, when returning to London from the country, he gave assistance to a woman whose coach had become disabled.

Copyright, 1899, by the Post Publishing Co. (The Boston Post). Copyright in the United Kingdom, the Dominion of Canada and dependencies, under the copyright act, by the Post Publishing Co., Boston, Mass., U. S. A. All rights reserved.

A new British coaling plant has recently been erected at Port Natal. The plant is stated to be the only one of its kind in South Africa, and it is claimed that it is one of the largest belt-conveyer installations at present in operation for coaling vessels.

In the long line of income tax payers in New York were a waiter and a barber. "They certainly got me on tips," said the waiter. "I had to report \$1,200 this year." "Me, too," said the barber. "I had \$500 in the tip to account for besides my salary."

Set your ideals high. For if you set your aim high, you will have always something that is worthy of your faithfulness. To have that which by its very nature is a perpetual invitation, never stooping to you, but calling you; if you would enjoy it up to the higher regions is to be greatly stirred to faithfulness of conduct.

Cultivate High Ideals.

Set your ideals high. For if you set your aim high, you will have always something that is worthy of your faithfulness. To have that which by its very nature is a perpetual invitation, never stooping to you, but calling you; if you would enjoy it up to the higher regions is to be greatly stirred to faithfulness of conduct.

Discolor.

If you allow the handles of your pearl or bone knives to remain in water they will become discolored.

Gen. Miles Gives Colored Fighters a Flag



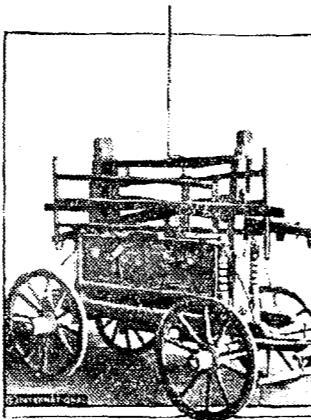
Lieut. Gen. Nelson Appleton Miles presenting a flag of the Lafayette post of the American Legion to Colonel Litte, the commander of the Fifteenth National Guard, New York's famous colored regiment, at Central Park, New York.

HONORED BY FRANCE



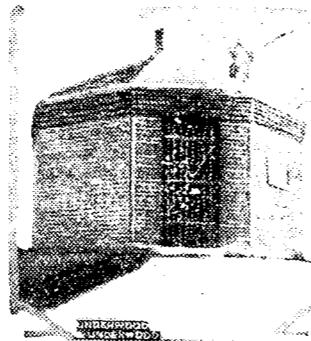
Before sailing for France, M. René Virel, envoy extraordinary of the French government, conferred upon Miss Belle Du Costa Greene, custodian of the J. Pierpont Morgan private library in New York, the gold pin of officer of public instruction, in recognition of services rendered to French art and culture.

OLD TIME FIRE ENGINE



Hoover is promised a fine engine which was in use in Upper Austria in the eighteenth century. It is now on exhibition in the historical museum in Vienna.

THE OLD POWDER HOUSE



This reproduction of the old powder house on Burial Hill, Plymouth, Mass., recently was presented to the city of Plymouth by the American Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. A tablet at the right of the door bears the inscription: "The old powder house was built here in 1770." This building, erected in 1820, is dedicated to those descendants of the Pilgrims by birth or of the spirit who were drawn, but Peg disclosed herself before matters became serious. The thought that his wife was beloved by another produced such a shock to Mr. Vane that he realized he still loved her and the two departed together, leaving Peg with her unhappy thoughts.

Peg Woffington never recovered from this episode. She plunged once more into her work, but life had lost all its interest. She did not remain long on the stage, but retired to private life and devoted herself to charity. Mr. and Mrs. Vane being their closest friends while she lived.

Copyright, 1899, by the Post Publishing Co. (The Boston Post). Copyright in the United Kingdom, the Dominion of Canada and dependencies, under the copyright act, by the Post Publishing Co., Boston, Mass., U. S. A. All rights reserved.

Here, what do you mean by saying that the costumes of our chorus girls showed signs of wear?"

"They were somewhat frayed."

"Wean didn't do it. It's the number of changes," Louisville Courier Journal.

Press Notice.

Here, what do you mean by saying that the costumes of our chorus girls showed signs of wear?"

"They were somewhat frayed."

"Wean didn't do it. It's the number of changes," Louisville Courier Journal.

Press Notice.

If you allow the handles of your pearl or bone knives to remain in water they will become discolored.

"Janet" Adopts Kittens



Janet, a lady owned by Mrs. Mary E. Halpin, Astoria, L. I., "adopts" two of the four kittens which she has adopted. The mother cat left the kittens in Mrs. Halpin's yard and then disappeared. "Janet" found the tiny animals crying, picked them up and brought them into the house.

Biggest of Graduating Classes



The University of California graduated the largest class in the world this year, 1901. The photograph shows the procession of graduates under the leadership of President D. L. B. Barton, president of the university.



This photograph snapped the other day in Berlin, shows General von Hindenburg in conference with Hugo Stinnes, Germany's richest man, and Franz Stinnes.

Most of the country's largest industrial enterprises and many of its newspapers are controlled by Stinnes.

MUCH IN LITTLE

There are said to be more statues of Queen Victoria in existence than of any other person, man or woman, who ever lived.

The culture of tea existed in China in the fourth century and in Japan in the ninth century.

Brighton, England, has a factory where 600 disabled ex-soldiers are working as diamond cutters, and soon there will be accommodations for 800 more.

In front of a patented bathing suit is a waterproof, inflatable bag which when filled with air, is claimed by the inventor to support 300 pounds in water.

A sheep ranch in Alberta has been equipped with a motor ambulance designed for the care of sheep, being able to carry ten such patients at a time. A team of elephants will drag logs averaging as much as 2,500 board feet.

In England the rolling chairs used by invalids and others have to carry a motor license.

Lient. Nicholas H. Stavry, U. S. N., retired, believed to be the oldest officer called into service during the World war, died recently in a Brooklyn hospital.

He was seventy-seven years old.

Argentina leads the world in flaxseed production, cultivating about 30,000,000 acres annually, as compared with 12,000,000 acres in the United States and 1,000,000 acres in Canada.

BIRDS AS STREET CLEANERS

Vultures Employed for the Purpose in Costa Rica, and Traveler Says They Are Efficient.

Garbage collectors in Costa Rica enjoy their occupation, because they eat what they find. In his book, "Sailing South," Philip S. Marden writes as follows:

"I was awakened on the first morning in town by a sound of wheels in the street below, and looked out. It was an impressive sight. The garbage man was abroad on his scavenging rounds. Ahead of his open wagon walked a dozen other vultures, all in saddle and maintaining the chastened demeanor of undertakers at an open grave. Behind the wagon walked half a dozen other vultures similarly seated. And around the rim of the cart, perched in solemn row, sat twenty-one other birds of the same species and same somber hue. I would fain have immortalized the scene, but the camera, alas, wasn't fended. I began to understand why the streets of San Jose, which leave much to be desired in other respects, are at least so notably clean."

Composition on an Ox.

Witward, a schoolboy of six, being told by his teacher to write a composition on an ox, after long but earnest struggle produced the following:

"An ox does not taste as good as a oyster, and he has a hairy shell, but he can draw a bigger load than an oyster and run twice as fast."

Capital Always Doubling.

Why is Ireland likely to become the richest country in the world? Because its capital is always doubling. (Dub-

lin is company at dinner and the son and heir listened to the conversation. During the meal an animated discussion arose regarding the feeling which, some one maintained, still existed between the North and the South. The minister remarked:

"The time is coming, not far off, when there will be no north, south, east or west, and—"

"Won't that be splendid!" interrupted little Willie.

"Why does that interest you?" asked the boy's astonished parent.

"Because it will be so much easier to learn geography."

Composition on an Ox.

Witward, a schoolboy of six, being told by his teacher to write a composition on an ox, after long but earnest

struggle produced the following:

"An ox does not taste as

BEFORE AND AFTER CHILDBIRTH

Mrs. Williams Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Kept Her in Health

Overpeck, O.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me both before and after my baby was born. I suffered from backache, headache, was generally run down and weak. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers and decided to try it. Now I feel fine, take care of my two boys and do my own work. I recommend your medicine to anyone who is ailing. You may publish my testimonial if you think it will help others."—MRS. CARRIS WILLIAMS, Overpeck, Ohio.

For more than forty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been restoring women to health who suffered from irregularities, displacements, backaches, headaches, bearing-down pains, nervousness or "the blues." Today there is hardly a town or hamlet in the United States wherein some woman does not reside who has been made well by it. That is why Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is now recognized as the standard remedy for such ailments.

KREMOLA
A WONDERFUL FACE BEAUTY. Patented. Manufactured by the Kremola Company, 275 Michigan Ave., Chicago.

AGENTS TO SELL HANDY CIGARETTE CASE. Hands out one at a time. Sells at 25¢. **KREMOLA CO., 7435 WILSON, DETROIT, MICHIGAN.**

Culture and Cooking. Critical Husband—Where did you get the recipe for this mess?

Cultured Wife (calmly)—When speaking of the directions for preparing foods you should say "receipt." When referring to medicinal preparations you may, if you choose, use the term "receipt" from the Latin "receipte"—take.

Husband—I used the correct word, then. This pudding is a dose.—Boston Transcript.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, that famous old remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bear the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*
In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria.

FOUND SILENCE ONLY REFUGE

Under the Circumstances, it Would Seem, Mrs. Paula's Friend Had Made Wise Decision.

Now, everybody in town knows that Mrs. Paula Platt was talking of making a visit to her married daughter in Ohio. She had been talking about it for two years, but age and the natural timidity of a woman long a widow had postponed the great event from month to month, until the neighbors began to wonder whether it would ever come to pass.

So one morning when Uncle Tom Flitters met a friend of Mrs. Paula's, there was a twinkle in his eyes as he asked:

"When is Mrs. Paula goin' out to Ohio?"

"Don't ask me," said the other. "I don't know nothin' about it. If I tell her to go, she says we all want to get rid of her; and if I tell her to stay at home, she says I am mean. I ain't sayin' a word!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Line the Linoleum. When purchasing linoleum for the floor it is a good idea to order a lining of felt. This precaution will probably prolong the use of the linoleum. It also deadens sound and makes the floor warmer in winter. It prevents the linoleum from expanding or contracting and it gives a softer tread, all advantages worth considering.

In Time. "We arrived just in time." "What do you mean?" "I could tell from the way they acted when they let us into their house that they were just in the midst of a fine little family quarrel."

If a man tests a coin with his teeth he bites the dust.

ANCIENT AND MODERN ROME

World-Famous Buildings Occupy Sacred Sites in the Old "Capital of the World."

Ancient Rome was built on the hills south of the River Tiber. Tradition regarded the Palatine as the site of Romulus' Urbs Quadrata. Excavations have brought to light remains of earlier settlement and a prehistoric necropolis. The capitoline was the center of republican and imperial Rome. One of the principal ancient monuments is Hadrian's mausoleum, which, as the castle of St. Angelo, was the citadel of medieval Rome. West of this stood Caligula's circus, in which Nero torched the Christians; its site is now occupied by St. Peter's, the chief shrine of Roman Catholicism, reputed to be the largest church in the world, occupying 18,000 square yards and measuring 485 feet in its highest part. North of St. Peter's is the Vatican palace, which covers 13½ acres and comprises over 1,000 halls, chapels and rooms. The pantheon, built by Agrippa in 27 B.C. and restored by Hadrian, is said to be the best-preserved ancient building in Rome.

Overpeck, O.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me both before and after my baby was born. I suffered from backache, headache, was generally run down and weak. I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the newspapers and decided to try it. Now I feel fine, take care of my two boys and do my own work. I recommend your medicine to anyone who is ailing. You may publish my testimonial if you think it will help others."—MRS. CARRIS WILLIAMS, Overpeck, Ohio.

For more than forty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been restoring women to health who suffered from irregularities, displacements, backaches, headaches, bearing-down pains, nervousness or "the blues." Today there is hardly a town or hamlet in the United States wherein some woman does not reside who has been made well by it. That is why Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is now recognized as the standard remedy for such ailments.

Easy on Them.

A battery of big guns had just sent

its message of destruction into a company of Germans at St. Mihiel, and when the debris had settled all to be observed were a few scraps of gray cloth scattered about.

"Wow," ejaculated the supply officer, "but there are a lot of dead Germans over there."

"I wouldn't go that far," replied the conservative medical major, suspiciously like all of his ilk. "But if they were my men and came to me, I admit I might mark them for light duty."—American Legion Weekly.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of Those Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of being ashamed of your freckles, as Othina—The Skin Doctor—guarantees to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othina's Ointment from your druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othina, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Proud of Her Daddy.

Helen was playing out in front of her house Flag day and evidently had noticed the flags that were out in many of the homes. This same day happened to be her dad's birthday but she was not aware of it until she had been let in on the big secret of a surprise that was in store for her evening meal and that she was not to tell any one about it.

When given this information she exclaimed, "Is today daddy's birthday?"

When told that it was, she remarked quite decidedly, her big eyes getting larger, "Oh now I know why all the flags are out."

Of No Importance.

Painters certainly are touchy, when ignorant people dare to comment upon art. A woman of no importance as an art critic was studying the work of a well-known artist and remarked:

"Really, of these two pictures, I don't know which I like best."

"Don't bother, madam," said the quiet voice of the artist, who was standing just behind her, "it doesn't matter."

Skoda Works Transformed.

The great Skoda munition works at Pilsen, the main source of Austro-Hungarian war materials, were as famous in their way as the Krupp factories at Essen, Germany. They are still fully capable of making some of the most powerful of war engines, but in these days of peace for Czechoslovakia there has been a striking transformation.

While guns and swords are not literally being beaten into plowshares, the machinery which has turned out every variety of ordinance in the past is now busily engaged in making tools, locomotives, car wheels, printing presses, and various other implements of industry, transportation, and enlightenment.

Bohemia is known, too, for its glass.

One of the important centers of glass

factories is what a younger genera-

tion of geography students were taught to call Carlsbad, one of the world's best known watering places. The town's new Czechoslovakian name is Karlovy Vary, a change which to the outsider seems very much like the deliberate destruction of a valuable trade-mark. Czechoslovakian glass is best known, perhaps, by two special products: the so-called amethyst glass and emerald glass.

Sugar, Beer and Water.

In the northern portion of the re-

public, near large fields of sugar beets, are located numerous sugar factories which turn out large quantities of this product. Before the war about \$10,000,000 worth of sugar was sent out annually from the territory which now constitutes Czechoslovakia. One of the most recent suggestions for facilitating the export of American cotton to Czechoslovakia is that sugar from that country be exchanged for the cotton.

The name alone of Pilsen (now Pizen) tells in part the story of another important industry of Czechoslovakia. It is the raising of hops, the preparation of malt and the brewing of the famous Pilsner and other beers. Both the raw materials and the finished products have always been exported in large quantities. An industry that may seem in a way a striking contrast to that of brewing is the sale of waters from the fabled springs of the new republic. Bottling mineral water may not sound like a big industry but the mineral waters of the Bohemian and Moravian health resorts are widely sold. One peculiar thing in traveling in Europe is that on the restaurant cars one is forced

to drink the mineral water of the country through which he is passing.

Slovakian Paper Industry.

Slovakia is not so highly organized

along industrial lines as Bohemia

but it has vast forests and already

there are many paper mills, some of

them still running under the old

Hungarian names. But these are all

small affairs and so far the paper and

wood pulp industry has not been de-

veloped to anything like the propor-

tions which could be reached in a

stable, industrial Europe. In Slo-

vakia, too, one may see bentwood

chairs being made for the American

market.

Czechoslovakia is short of coal but

this may be a good thing in the long

run, for Slovakia is one vast store-

house of hydraulic power and there is

enough unused water power among

the Slovakian hills and in the fashion-

able high Tatras to run all the

factories that are likely to be started

for a long time to come. The Tatras

mountains are rivals of the Swiss Alps

for scenery. There the wealth and

aristocracy of Hungary have been

accustomed to go for generations for

mountain-climbing and other outdoor

recreations.

While Bohemia, the land of the

Czechs, is predominantly an industrial

country, Slovakia, the home of the

Slovak portion of the partnership is

at present chiefly agricultural. There

are to be found the quaintest and

most artistic of the peasant costumes

of the republic, which are a never-

ending delight. The men wear white

shirts, embroidered at wrists and

throat and faultlessly laundered, a

thickly braided vest, wide white

trousers, high boots, and a round

topped hat circled by a wide figured

band.

How the Women Dress.

The women run the whole gamut of

color and a group of them makes a

picture on which the eye must linger.

Their skirts of plain black reach only

a few inches below the knees. Just

below the waist is a line of fine

embroidery. Their stockings are

thick and serviceable. Some have

small square colored designs knitted

into the dull black. Their shoes are

stout and usually high cut. High soft

leather boots are worn by some. The

hat which reaches to the waist may

also be plain except for an applique

design of hand-made lace.

Where then is the colorfulness of

the women's costumes? It is in the

gay and striking head-dress and apron.

White and red are the favorite colors

for the head shawls, but the aprons—the

real adornment for which the other clothes seem merely the back-

ground—are every color under heaven

—bright green, changeable to gold;

yellow with a silver overlight, pink,

blue, cerise and all the other colors

that feminine fancy may choose. When a few hundred of these gaily-colored aprons are displayed in one moving

picture, the scene is a charming one indeed.

The hand-work that of old was put

upon women's costumes, utilizing as

its materials home-made vegetable

dyes, produced artistic results. But

with the growth of industrialism less

and less of this old-fashioned work

is being done. Aniline dyes are being

substituted and machinery is being

utilized upon to turn out its products

quickly and in great volume. The

factories, too, are attracting to the

towns the women who would have

EXTRA SPECIAL JUNE CLOSING SALE



Pianos and
Player-Pianos
barely above
Cost of Production

On June 30th we close our books for the first half of the business year of 1921, and we must sacrifice all instruments on hand. The selection is limited; prices are such that these instruments will soon be sold.

As Direct Factory Representatives our instruments come to us from the factory and then into your home. All middlemen's profits are thus eliminated and other expenses reduced to the minimum. We sell these instruments with absolute confidence in their

Reliability, Durability, Tonal Quality

We know they are the best and most satisfactory Pianos and Player-Pianos made in the wide world. There is nothing better anywhere. Take advantage of this Extra Special Opportunity.

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO BUY! TERMS ARE MADE TO SUIT. BENCH AND ROLLS FREE WITH EACH PLAYER-PIANO. DO NOT LOSE TIME! BUY NOW!

SALE CLOSES JUNE 28TH.

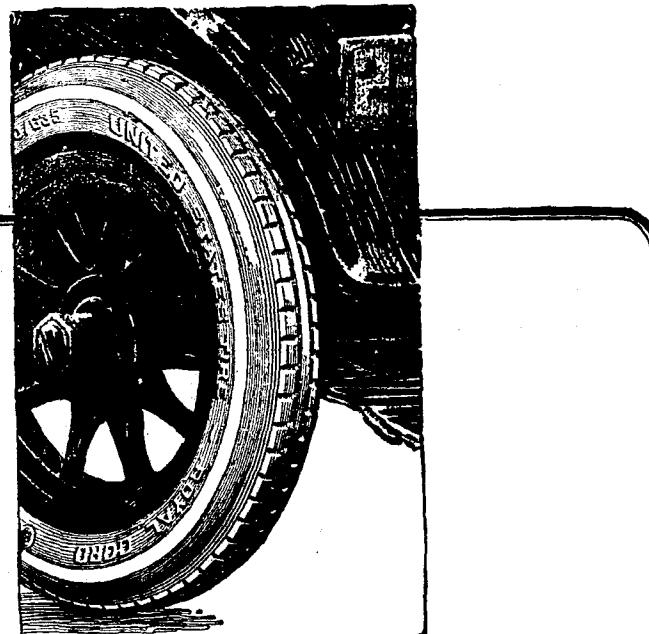
PIANOS MUST BE MOVED.

Olaf Sorenson & Sons

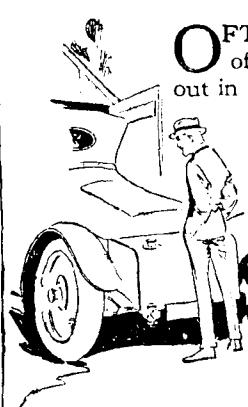
Music Department.

THE U. S. ROYAL CORD
A famous tire—and a famous tread. Acknowledged among motorists and dealers alike as the world's foremost example of Cord tire building. Always delivering the same repeated economy, tire after tire, and season after season.

The stripe around the sidewall is registered as a trade-mark in the U. S. Patent Office.



How you can measure tire value in 1921 —



"Any U. S. Tire is a universal full-owner's worth."

Often it's surprising the number of different tire views that come out in a chance talk at the curb or in the leisure of a friend's garage.

Almost every day you come across the man human enough to believe he can outguess the cut-price tag on "job-lots," "discontinued lines" and "surplus stocks."

His opposite is the hardpan car owner who sticks year in and year out to a standard brand as the only rational economy.

Many will remember the scarcity of U. S. Tires last year.

A hardship at the time, but a benefit now. There are no U. S. Tires to be worked off—no accumulations—no forced selling of any U. S. brand—no shipping of tires from one part of the

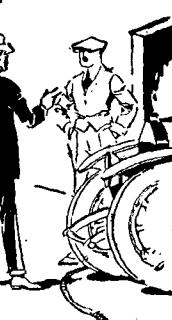
country to another to "find a market."

There are 92 U. S. Factory Branches. Each one gets its share of U. S. Tires. There is a broad, constant, even distribution of U. S. Tires always going on from these Branches to the dealer.

Buy a U. S. Tire anywhere—in a community of 500 people or even less—and you get a fresh, live tire of current production—with all the original service and mileage the factory put into it.

The owner of a medium or light-weight car stands on equal ground with every other car owner.

Any United States Tire is a universal full money's worth—backed up with a leadership policy of equal quality, buying convenience and price for everybody.



"The different tire views that come out in a chance talk."

United States Tires
United States Rubber Company

GEORGE BURKE
LOCAL DEALER

GARDEN NOTES.

(By R. E. Lores, Mi. A. C. Horticultural Dept.)

Seeds of many biennial and perennial flowering plants such as Foxglove and Canterbury Bells may be sown for flowers next summer.

The striped beetle may be kept in check by keeping melon and cucumber plants well dusted with tobacco dust or air slaked lime. This makes the plants distasteful to the insects and they disappear.

Sow rutabaga seed about the middle of June. They require 4 to 6 weeks longer to complete their growth than the common turnips.

Be sure to pinch out the tips of all new black raspberry canes. This is simply rheumatism of the muscles or chronic rheumatism, neither of which requires any internal treatment? The pain may be relieved by applying Chamberlain's Liniment, which makes sleep and rest possible, and that certainly means a great deal to any one afflicted with rheumatism.—Adv.

Keep all blossoms picked from newly set out strawberry plants. They should not be allowed to bear fruit the first season, except the overbearing varieties which are usually allowed to bear a crop of fruit during the fall months.

Only 2 or 3 plants should be left in each hill of melons, cucumbers, and squashes. Wait until the work of the striped beetle is over, then thin the plants leaving only the best to produce a crop.

RECOMMENDS CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS.

"Chamberlain's Tablets have been used by my husband and myself off and on for the past five years. When my husband goes away from home he always takes a bottle of them along with him. Whenever I have that heavy feeling after eating, or feel dull and played out, I take one or two of Chamberlain's Tablets and they fix me up fine," writes Mrs. Newton Vreeland, Minon, N. Y. Take these tablets when troubled with constipation or indigestion and they will do you good.—Adv.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

WITH LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly disturbing the system, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts thru the blood. Hall's Catarrh Medicine was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of a number of known blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Medicine is what produces such wonderful results in catarrah conditions. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Prop., Toledo, O.
An druggist, 76
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

THE HOME OF THE SOUL.

In older times, it was believed that the seat of the soul was the stomach most likely for the reason that a man is never so completely used up as when his stomach is out of order. For the cure of ordinary stomach troubles, there is nothing quite so prompt and satisfactory as Chamberlain's Tablets. They strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Give them a trial. They only cost a quarter.—Adv.

WHY SUFFER FROM RHEUMATISM?

Do you know that nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles or chronic rheumatism, neither of which requires any internal treatment? The pain may be relieved by applying Chamberlain's Liniment, which makes sleep and rest possible, and that certainly means a great deal to any one afflicted with rheumatism.—Adv.

NOTICE.

State of Michigan,
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

In the matter of the estate of Lars Brodin, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the sixth day of June A. D. 1921, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling in said county, on or before the third day of October A. D. 1921 and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the third day of October A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated June 3rd A. D. 1921.
George Sorenson,
Judge of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Department of Conservation.

Lansing, June 3, 1921.

Notice is hereby given, that the following described swamp lands situated in the county of Crawford, heretofore held as homesteads, have been proven abandoned and the license therefor will be cancelled by offering them for sale at a public auction to be held at the office of the department of Conservation (formerly the State Land Office) on Thursday, the fourteenth day of July A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time they will become subject to purchase in the manner prescribed by law.

In the sale of these lands all rights in any minerals, coal, oil and gas lying on or under the same will be reserved to the State of Michigan, as provided in Act 280 of the Public Act of 1899; also the rights in ingress and egress over and across any of said lands lying along any watercourse or stream, will be reserved to the people of the State of Michigan, as provided in said Act.

By order of the
Department of Conservation.

By John Baird, Director.

Description:
The S. W. 1/4 of N. W. 1/4 Section twenty-six (26), Township twenty-five (25) N. Range three (3) W. No. of acres 40.00.

The N. W. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 Section twenty-six (26), Township twenty-five (25) N. Range three (3) W. No. of acres 40.00.

6-9-3.

NOTICE.

To the owner or owners of any and all interests in or liens upon the land herein described:

Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued thereto, and that you are entitled to a re-conveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description of land:

State of Michigan

County of Crawford

The Southwest quarter (S. W. 1/4) of Northeast quarter (N. E. 1/4) of Section twenty (20), Town twenty-five (25) N., Range one (1) West. Amount paid \$4.68. Taxes for year 1914.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$16.36, plus the fees of the Sheriff.

Orlando F. Barnes,

Place of business, 137 W. Main St., Lansing, Mich.

To Motte O. Bryan, 1330 Morse Avenue, Chicago, Ill., last grantee in the regular chain of title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

State of Michigan

County of Crawford

I Do hereby Certify and Return that the within notice was delivered to me for service on the 16th day of October, 1920, and that after careful inquiry, which has been continued from that time until this date, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Motte O. Bryan, the person appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County, to be the last grantee in the regular chain of title to the within described lands at the said date of the said delivery of such notice to me for service or of the heirs of said grantee, or whereabouts or the postoffice address of the executor, administrator, trustee or guardian of such grantee.

Ernest P. Richardson,
Sheriff of said County

Dated Dec. 31st, 1920.

My fees \$8.85.

State of Michigan

County of Crawford

Returned and filed with me this 31st of December, A. D. 1920.

Frank Sales,

County Clerk.

6-2-4.

Lawn and Garden Tools.

UNKEMPT lawns and slovenly back yards reflect upon the whole neighborhood.

Set the example; be a good neighbor.

But you can't get the real pleasure and profit from your Thrift Garden without the proper tools to work with.

We have them ready for you.

SALLING HANSON CO.

Hardware Department.

DIRECTORY

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL

PROBATE COURT

Crawford County, Mich.

Sessions:—First and Third Monday of every month.

Hours:—9 o'clock a. m. to 12 noon.

1 o'clock p. m. to 5 o'clock p. m.

Any information and first Proceeding in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.

GEORGE SORENSEN

Judge of Probate..

BANK OF GRAYLING

Successor to Crawford County Exchange Bank.

MARIUS HANSON

Proprietor

Interest paid on certificates of deposit. Collections promptly attended to. All accommodations extended that are consistent with safe and conservative banking.

Marius Hanson, Cashier.

Drs. Keyport & Howell

PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS

Office next to Peterson's Jewelry Store.

Special attention to Eye refraction.

Office Hours—2-4, 7-8 p. m. Sundays by appointment.

C. A. Canfield, D. D. S.

DENTIST

OFFICE:

over Alexander's Law Office on Michigan Avenue.

Office hours: 8:30-11 a. m. 1-3:30 p. m.

Dr. J. J. Love

DENTIST

Phone 1271

Hours: 9 to 11:30 a. m. 1 to 5 p. m.

Office: Over Simpson Co.'s grocery.

C. J. HATHAWAY

OPTOMETRIST

Boston Store Building

Pontiac, Mich.

Office hours 8:30 to 1 p. m. 2 to 5 p. m.; Saturday afternoons by appointment. Phone 2128 J.

Practice confined exclusively to refection of the eye.

KELDSEN & KELDSEN

11:30 a. m.; 1:30 to 5 and 7 to 8 p. m.

Over Salling Hanson Co.

Hardware Store.

Licensed Chiropractors

Examination and Consultation Free